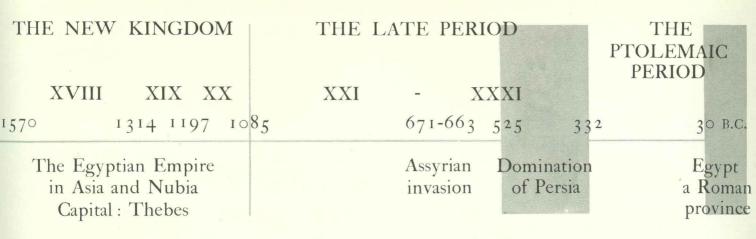


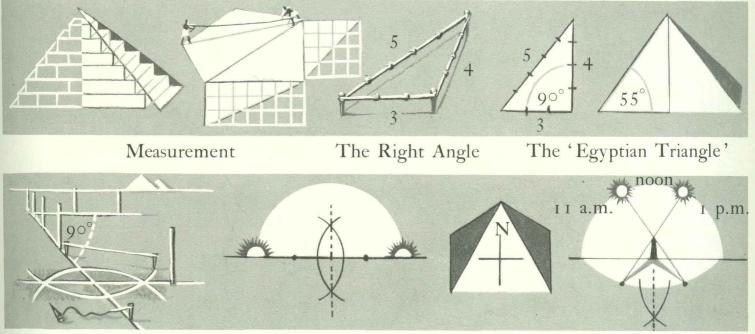
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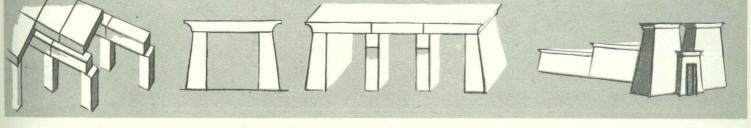
INTRODUCTION



Egypt was a narrow strip of highly productive soil, 8 to 12 miles wide, along the banks of the Nile, about one-fifth of the area of England and Wales. From pre-dynastic times sundried mud bricks were used for houses, but these have not survived: timber was scarce and hence arches were built without centering. There was however an abundance of limestone, sandstone and granite. The planning of irrigation canals and fields, necessitated by the annual inundations of the Nile, demanded a system of geometry (Gk land measuring). Believing in a life after death, the Egyptians thought that the body should be preserved in a lasting tomb; this became a geometric construction of great solidity and permanence.



Method of orientating the pyramids

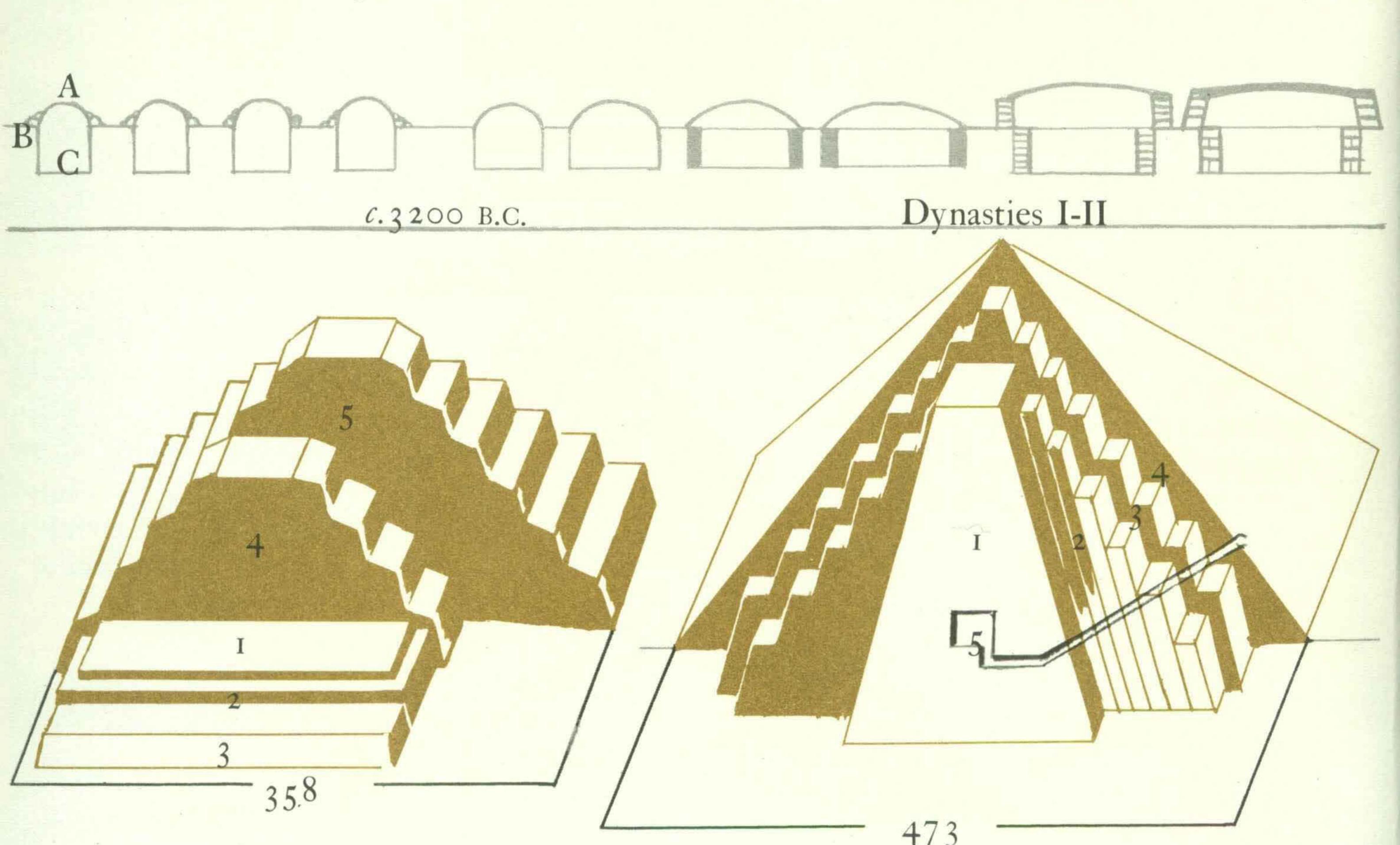


Temples constructed with columns, beams and massive, battered external walls

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Pit graves in desert cemetries: sand heap A surrounded by circle of stones B over grave C Pit graves transformed into tombs by brick lining and flat wooden or arched brick roofs Walls of sun-dried brick

Beginning of stone masonry



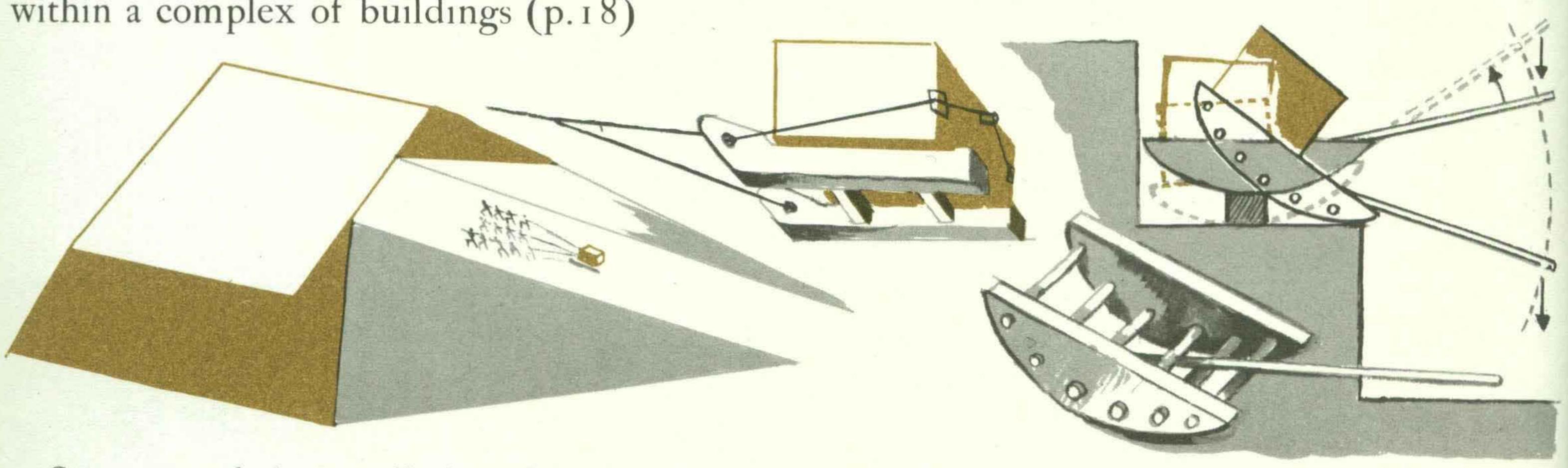
THE STEP PYRAMID, Saqqara, Dynasty III: Section looking west Built by Imhotep, architect to King Zoser.

1 Begun as a mastaba-tomb. 2-5 Then successively enlarged, in limestone. Set within a complex of buildings (p. 18)

THE PYRAMID OF MEDUM, Dynasties III-IV Section looking west, reconstructed

1 Centre core. 2 Successive layers added, at about 75°, each of local stone and cased with limestone.

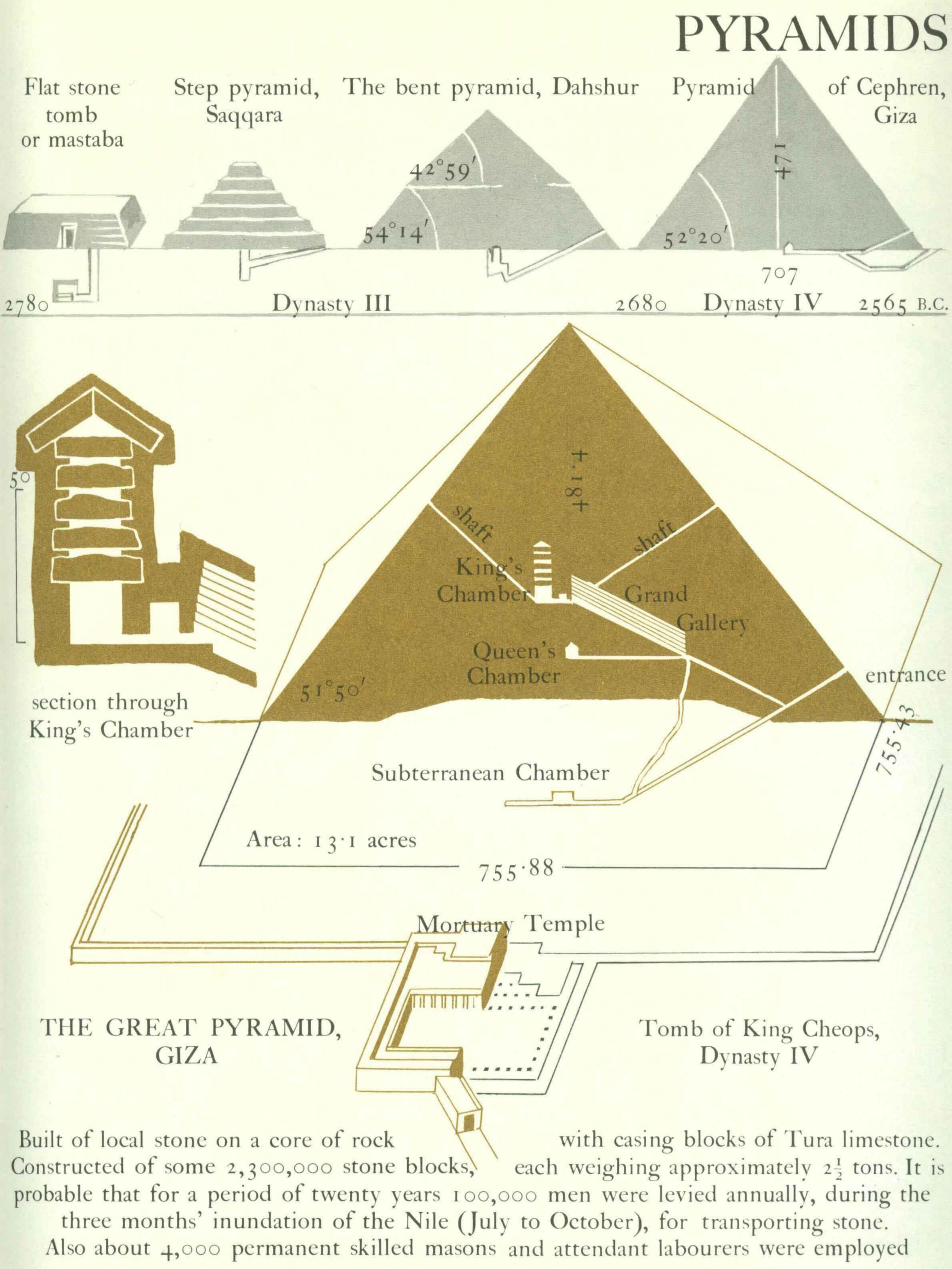
3 Enlargement of the pyramid. 4 Steps filled in with a facing of limestone. 5 The tomb chamber



Stones on sledges. pulled up long earth ramps

The Rocker; pulleys were unknown

Suggested methods of hauling and lifting stones



HOTY P THE MIDDLE KINGDOM THE OLD KINGDOM Dynasties XI-XII, 2134-1786 Dynasties III-VI, 2780-2258 B.C. The Age of the Pyramids The Step Pyramid, Saqqara, set within a complex of buildings of local stone faced with limestone Built by Imhotep for King Zoser, (reconstructed) Dynasty III The great Funerary Temple Pyramid of Mentuhotep I, of Cheops, Deir-el-Bahari Giza, Dynasty IV (reconstructed), Dynasty XI Pyramid of Sahura Pyramid of Pyramid of Neferirkara Ne-user-ra

Pyramids of Abu Sir (reconstructed), Dynasty V

COMPARATIVE BUILDINGS & PLANS

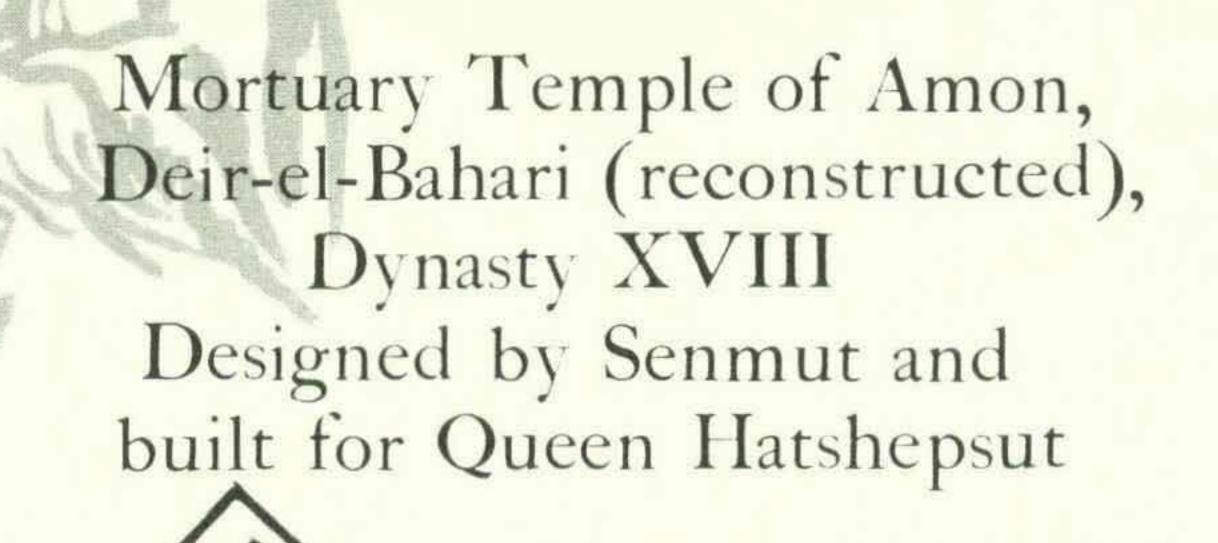
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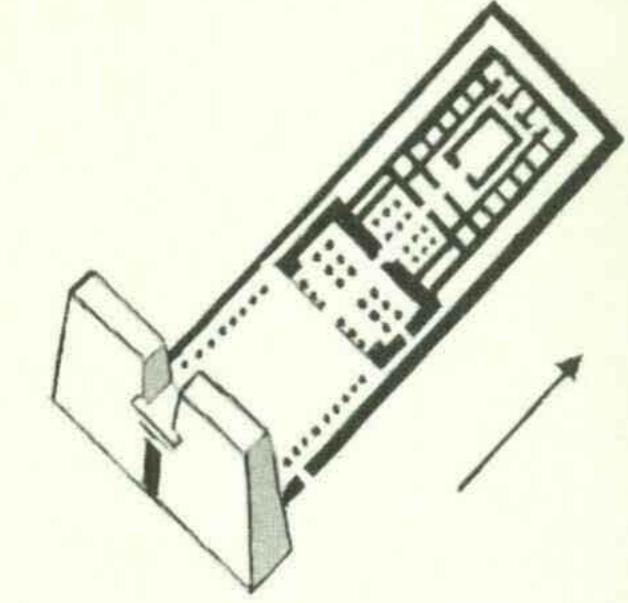
Dynasties XVIII-XX, 1570-1085 B.C.

The Age of the great Temples

THE PTOLEMAIC PERIOD 332-30 B.C.

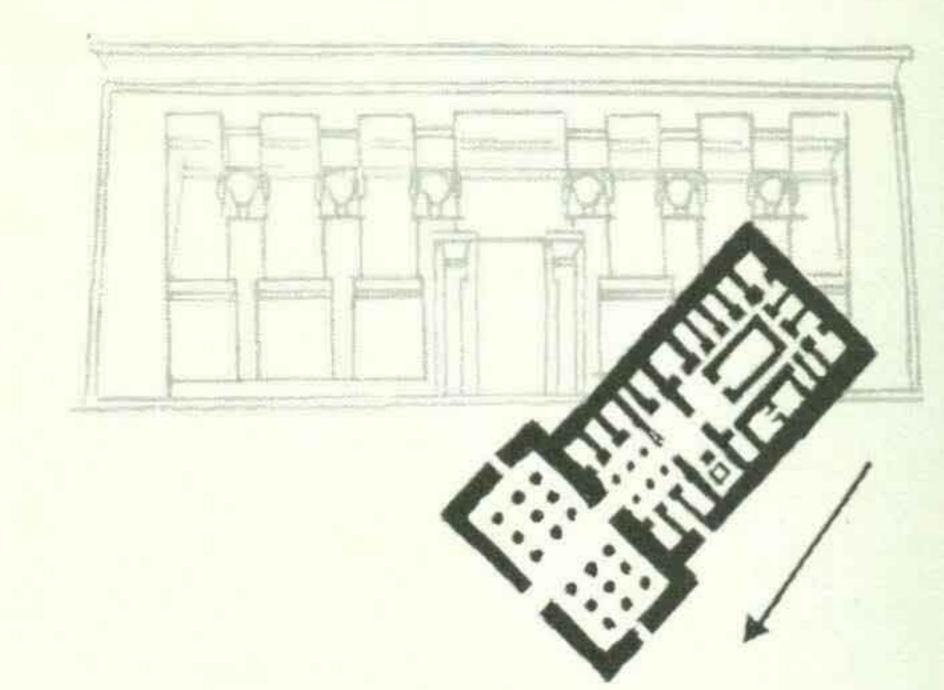
Revival of Temples





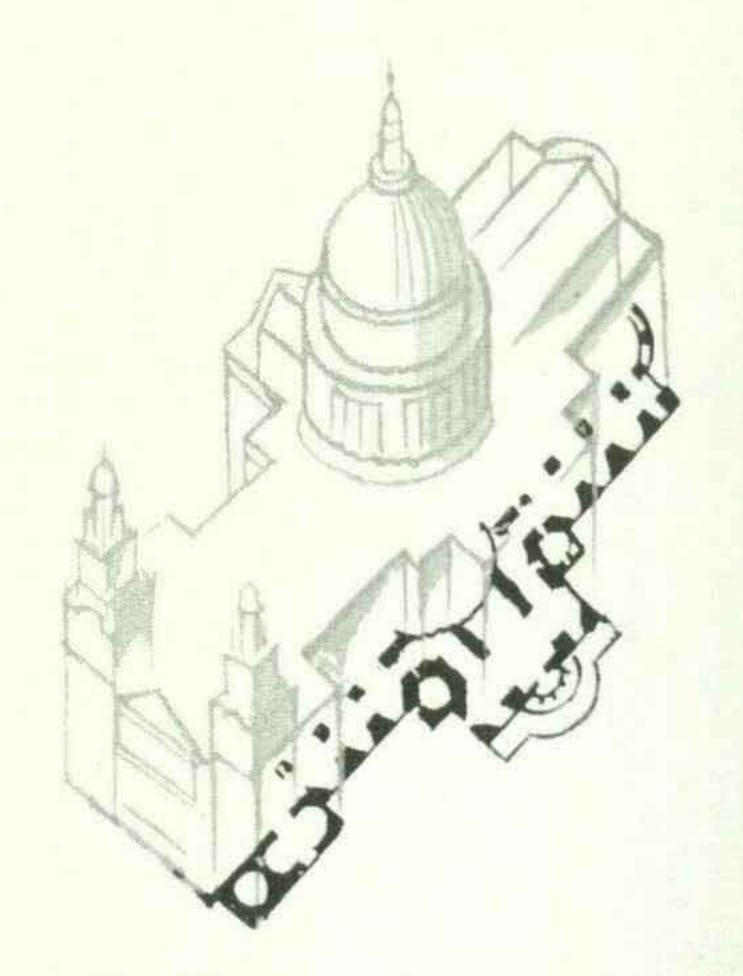
The Temple of Horus, Edfu, 237-212 B.C. Begun by Ptolemy III

The Great Temple of Amon, Karnak, Dynasties XVIII-XXXI (Foundations Dynasty XI)



The Temple
of Amon, Luxor,
Dynasties XVIII-XIX
Begun by Amenhotep III
and added to by Rameses II

The Temple of Hathor, Dendera, 1st cent. B.C.

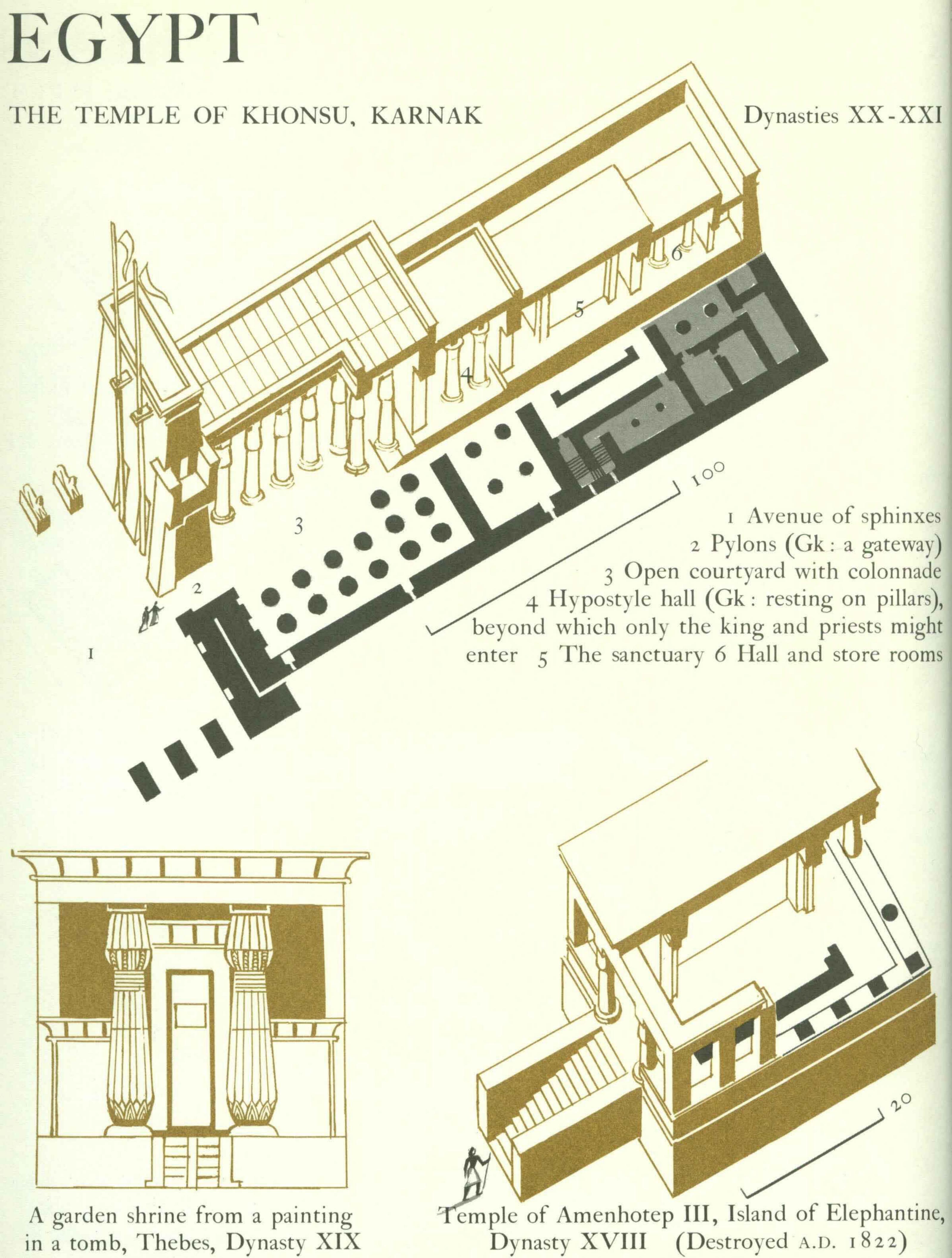


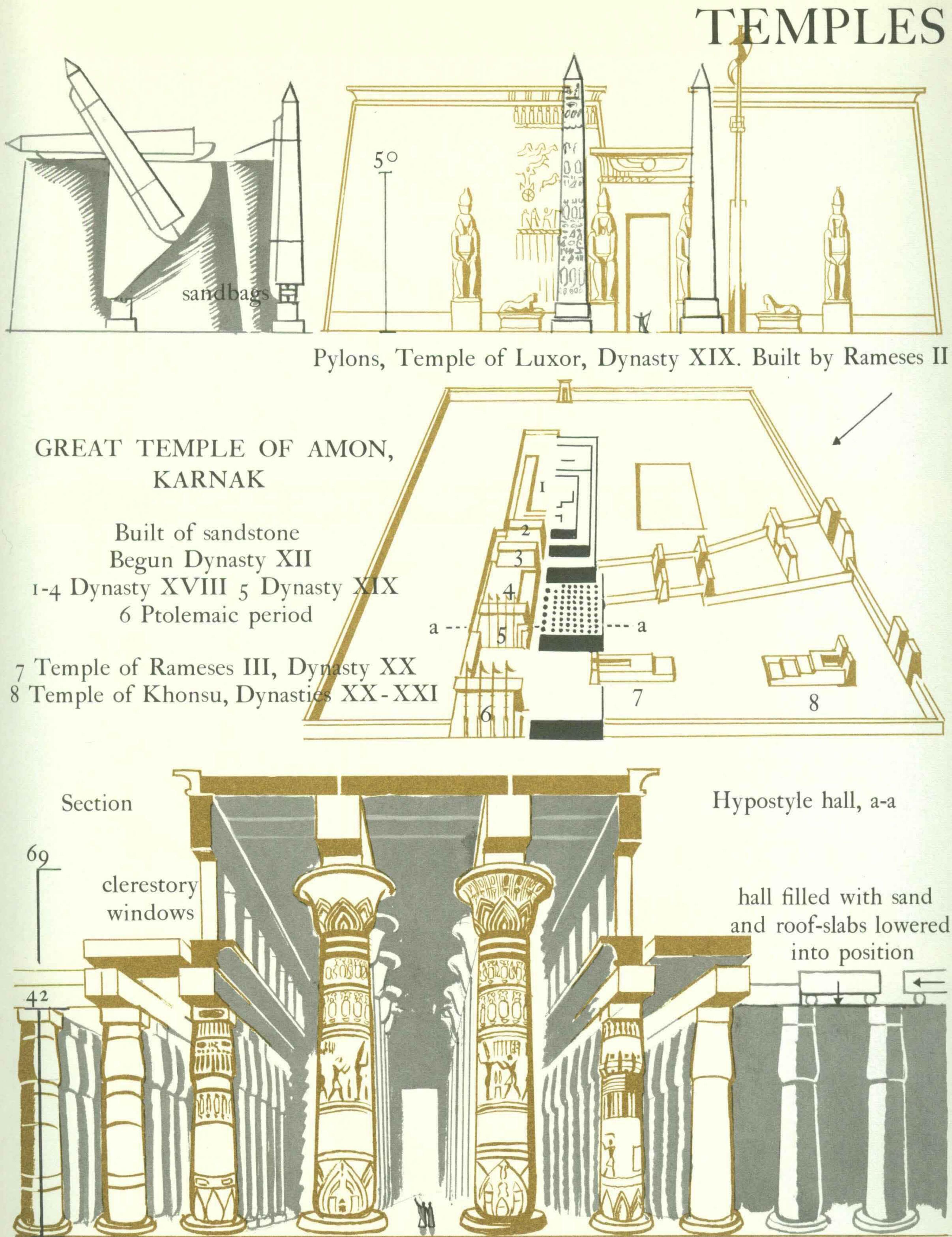
St Paul's, London

Temple of Seti I, Abydos,
Dynasty XIX

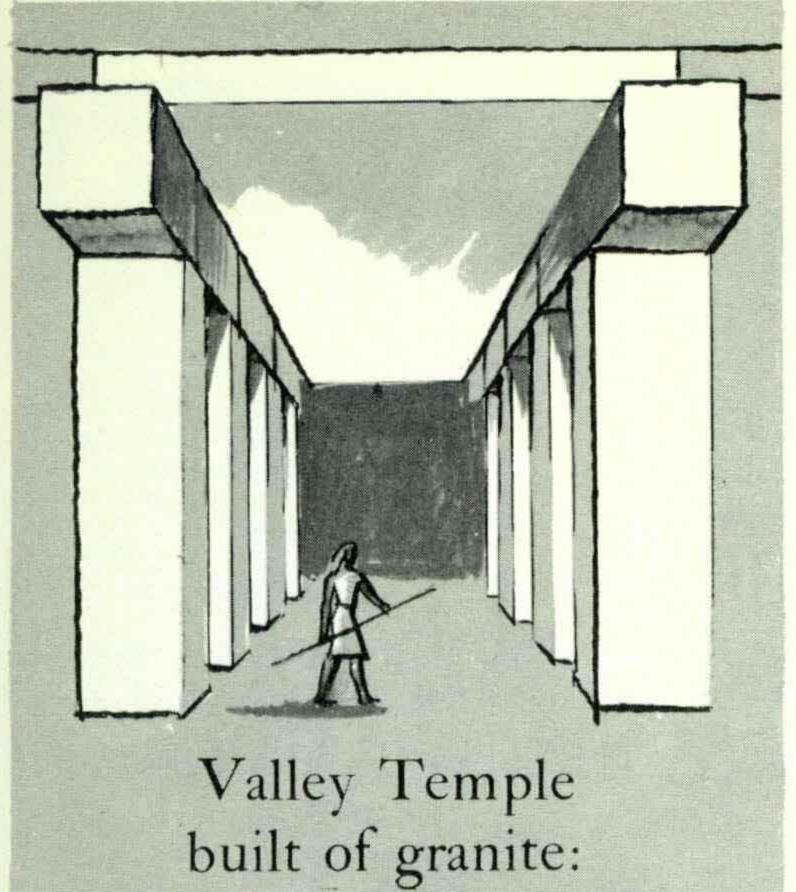
Great Temple, Abu Simbel, Nubia, Dynasty XIX. Built for Rameses II

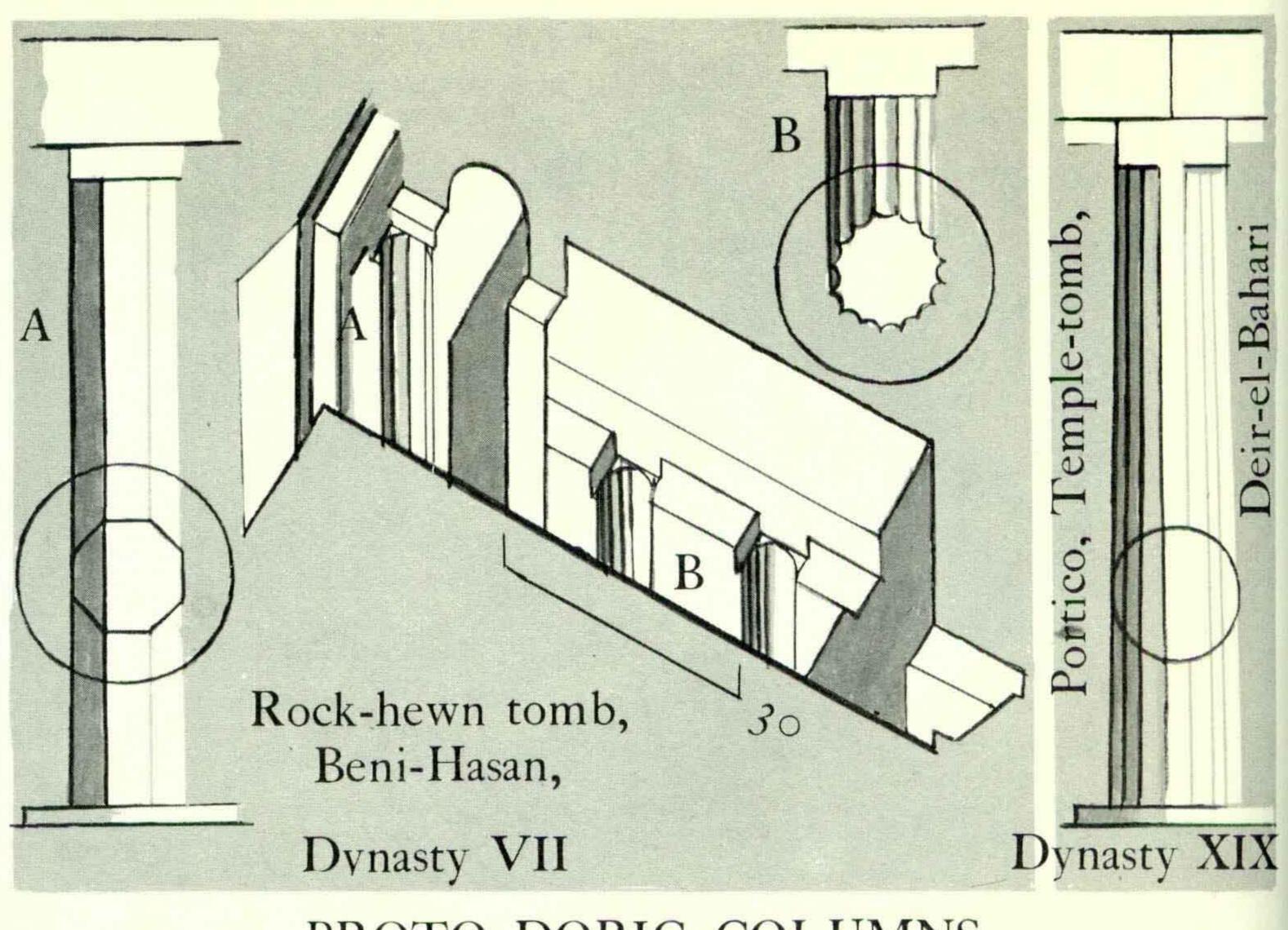
Plans and buildings in black drawn to the same scale





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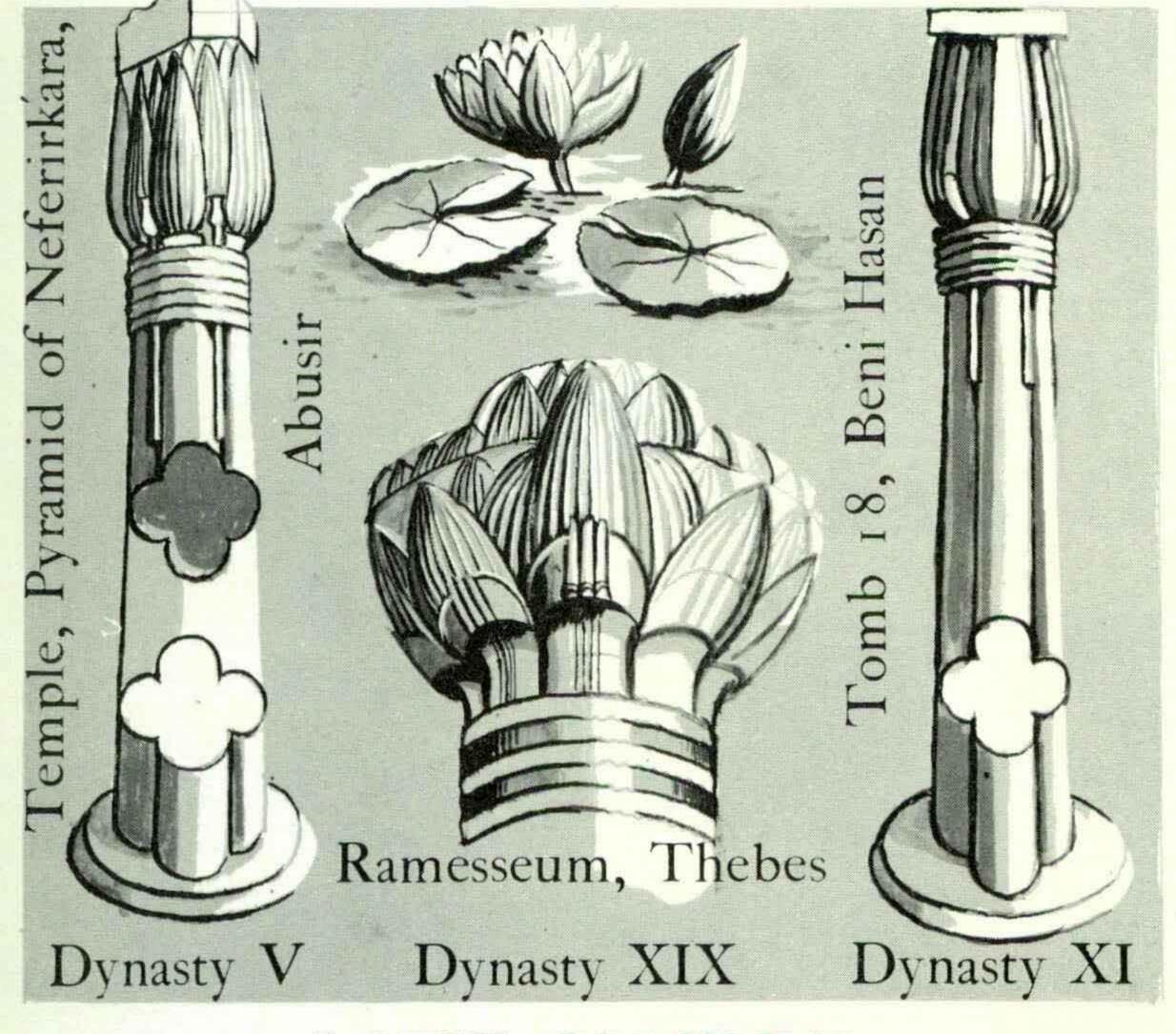


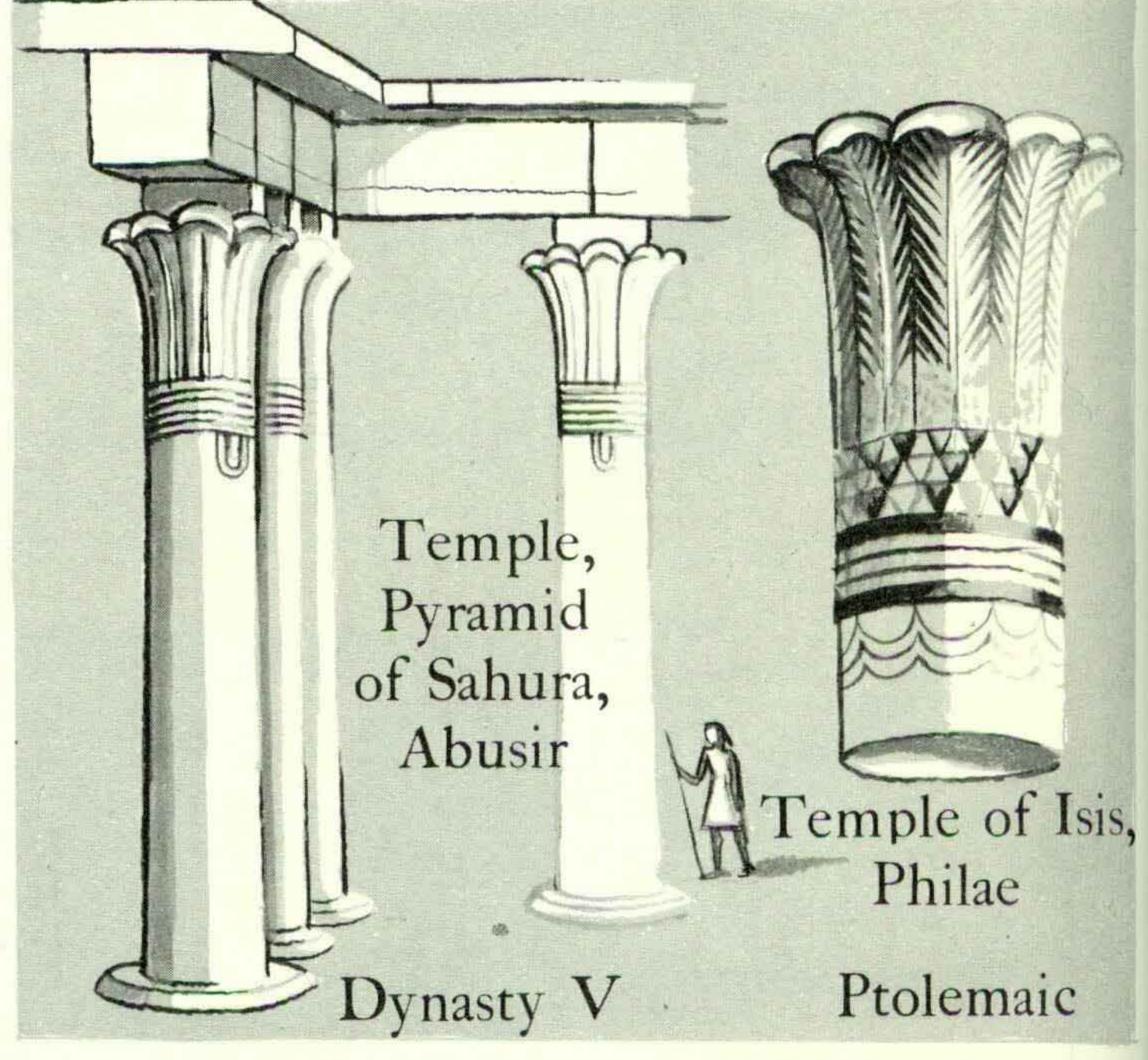
COLUMN & BEAM

Dynasty IV

Pyramid of Cephren, Giza.

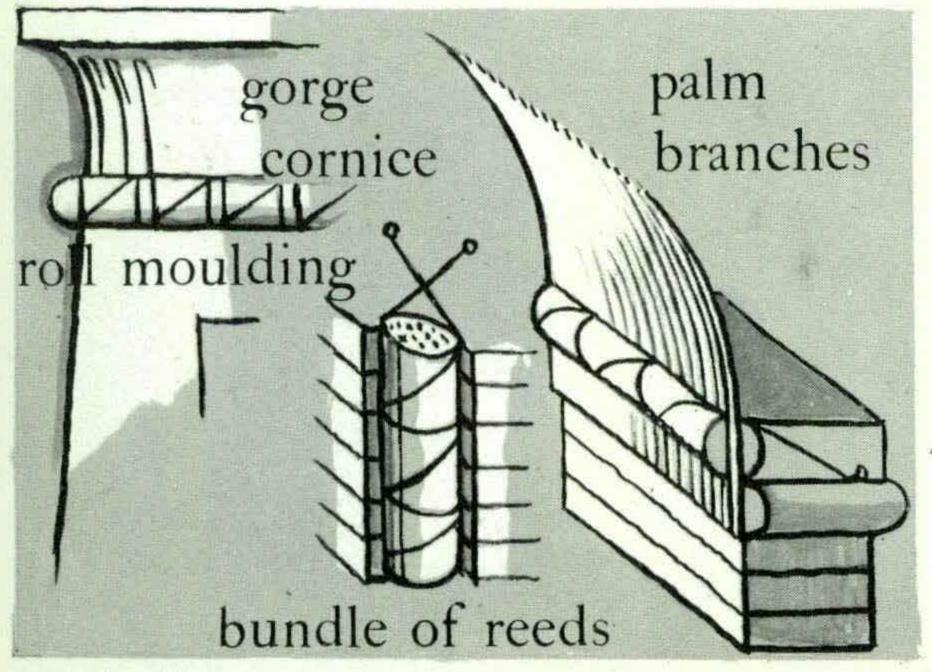
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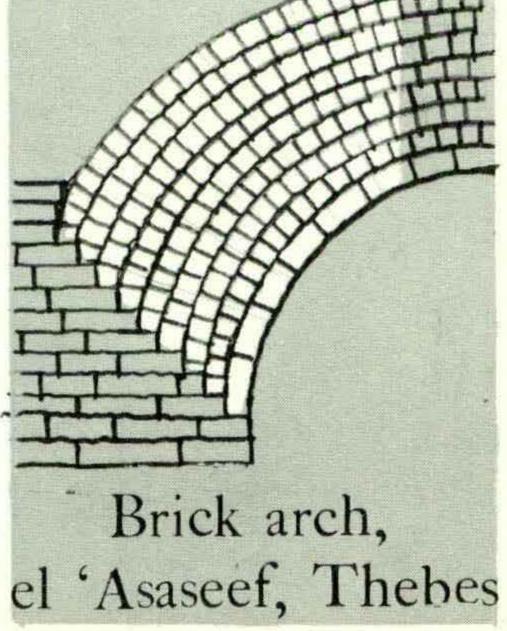


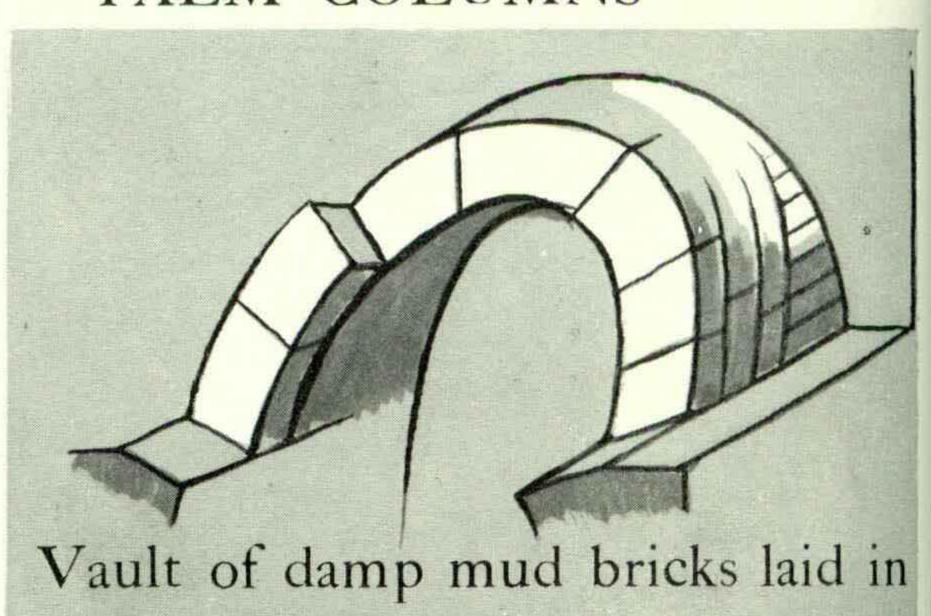


LOTUS COLUMNS

PALM COLUMNS

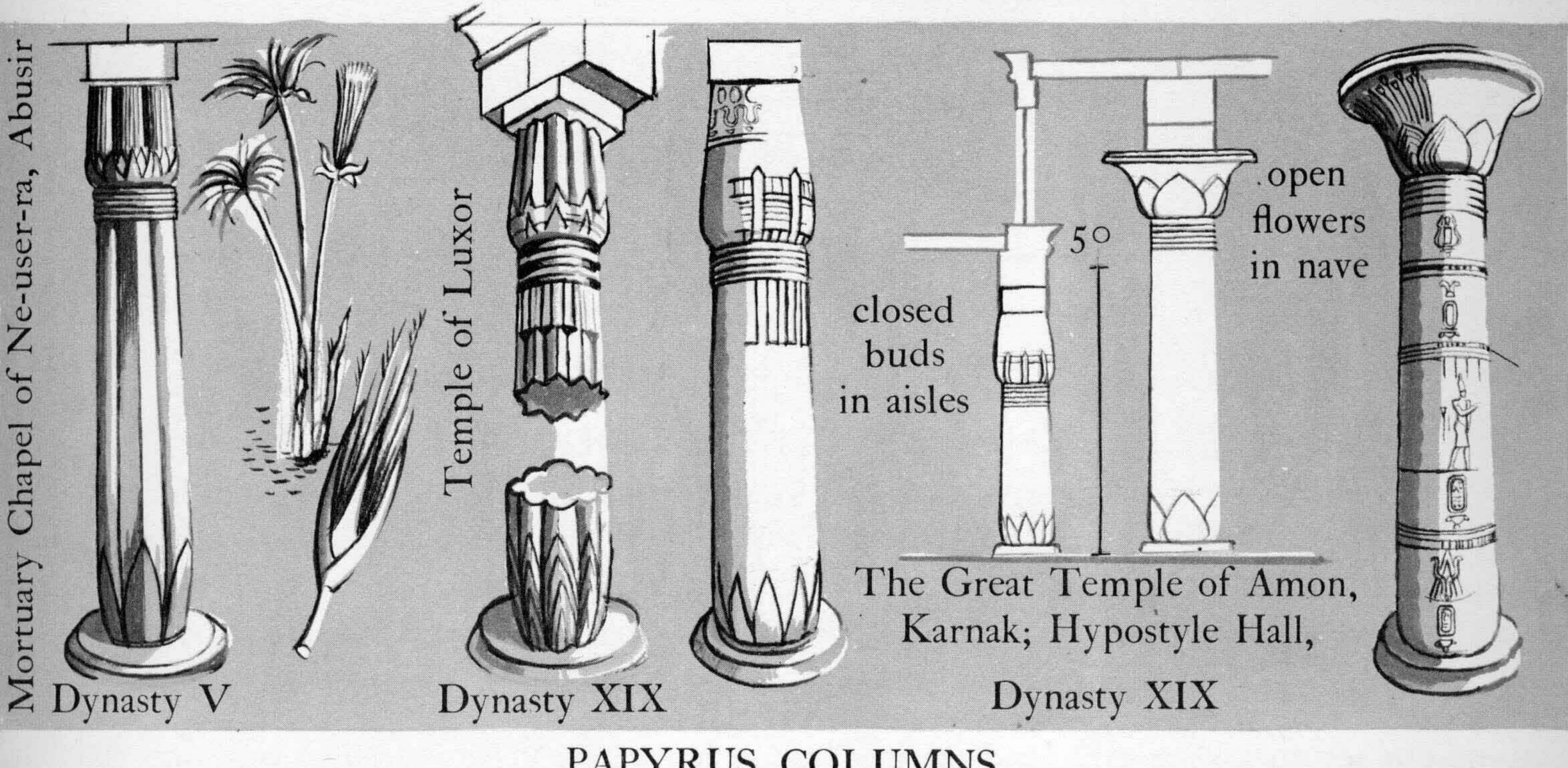




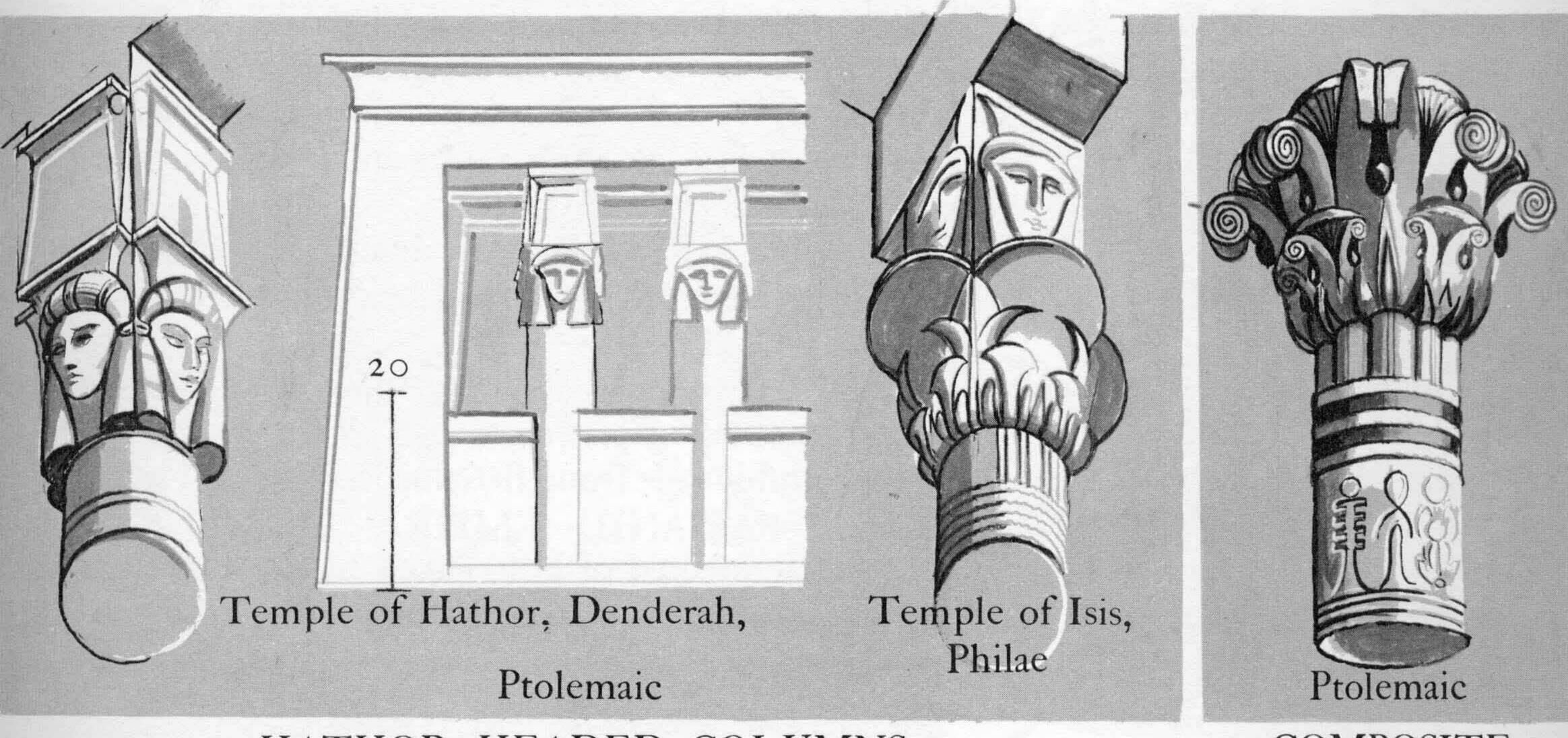


Vault of damp mud bricks laid in slanted courses without centering

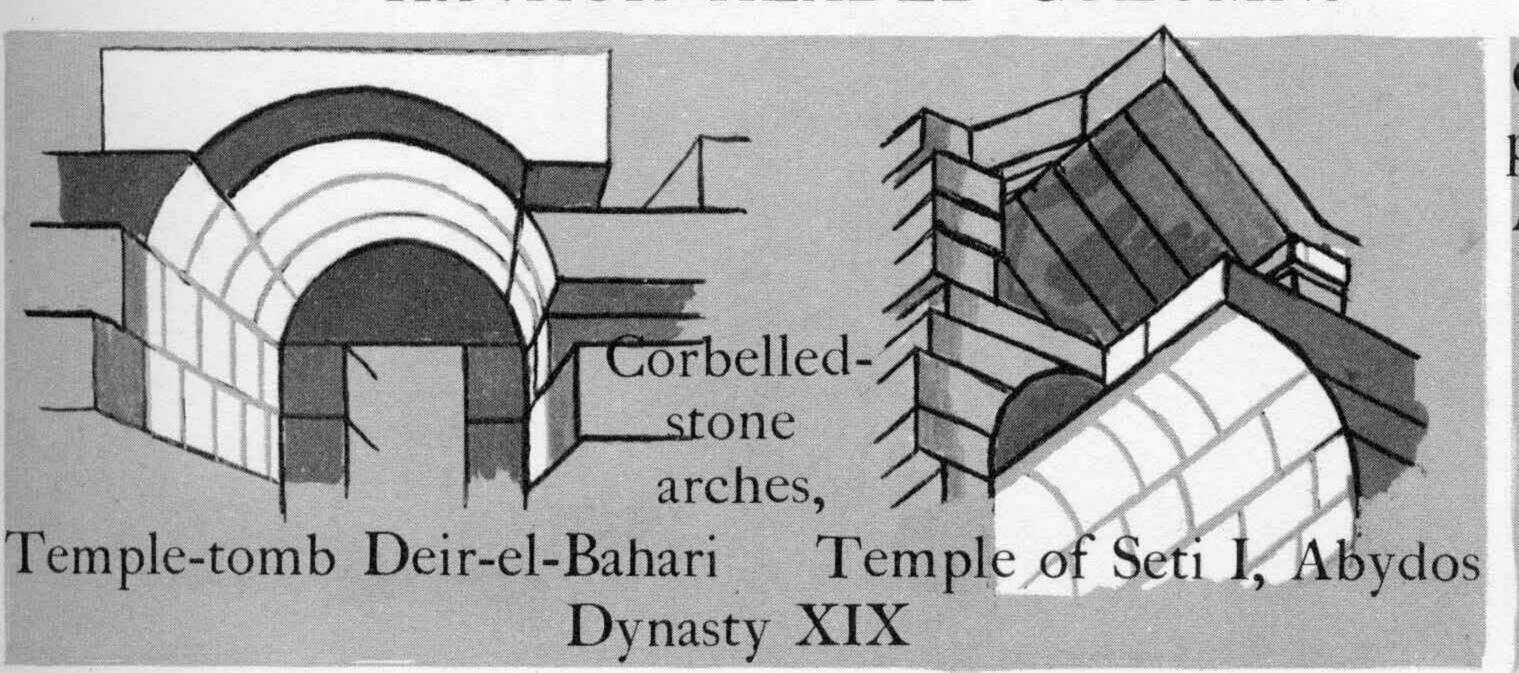
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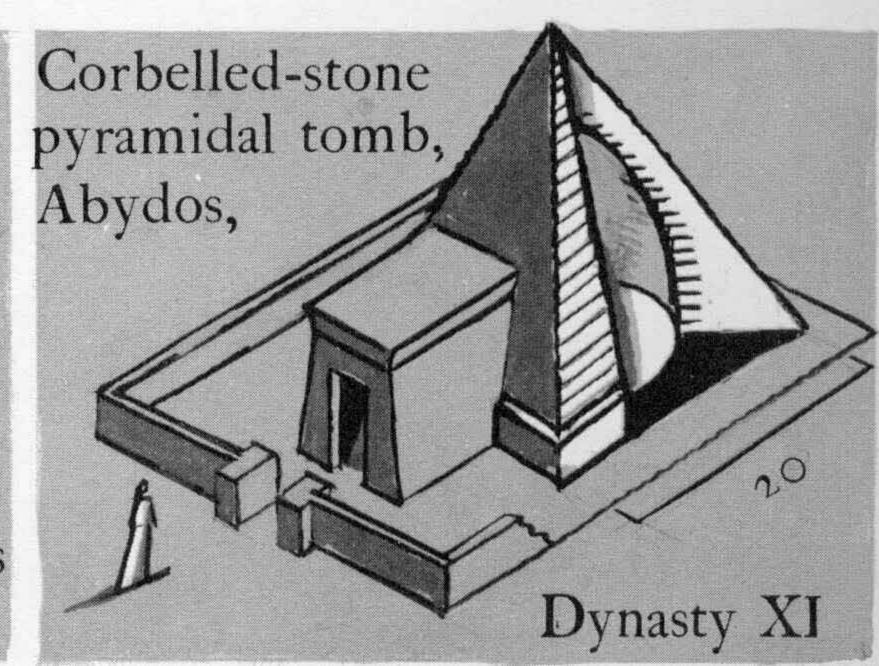
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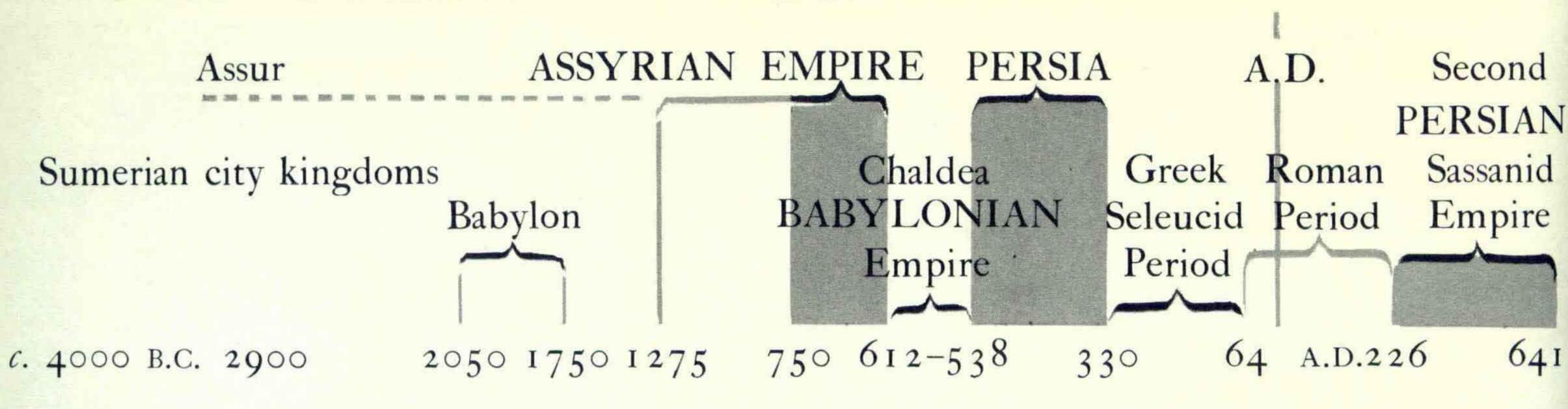
HATHOR-HEADED COLUMNS



COMPOSITE



WESTERN ASIA



SUMERIAN CITY KINGDOMS

Civilization in Western Asia began with city kingdoms in the rich alluvial plain between the lower Tigris and the Euphrates, an area about that of Wales (Map p. 14). Tower-temples or ziggurats were the centre of city life. There was no stone and little timber but clay was moulded into sun-dried brick. Buildings were faced with kiln-baked bricks, sparingly owing to lack of fuel.

ASSYRIA

Assyria was set on a high tableland of lime-stone, harder rock & alabaster, but the Assyrians continued to use sun-dried and kiln-baked bricks. Palaces of warrior-kings were built on large platforms of brick 30-50 feet high. Lower courses of walls were faced with slabs of alabaster 9-12 feet high and carved with bas-reliefs or covered with plaster and painted with bright colour. The arch was constructed for gateways, vaults and drains.

SECOND BABYLONIAN EMPIRE

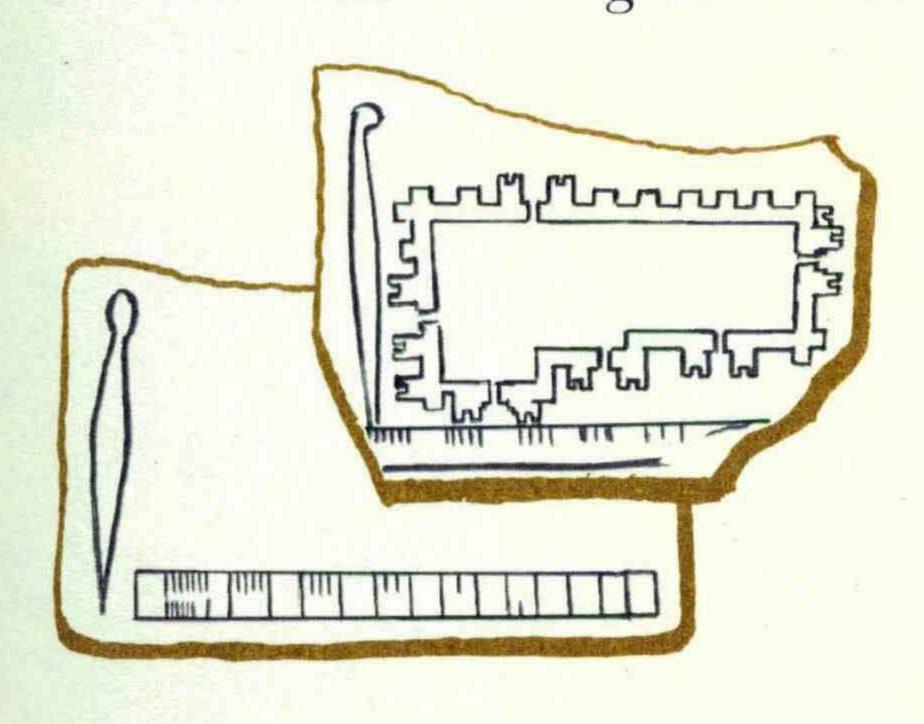
Nebuchadnezzar (604-561 B.C.) rebuilt Babylon to a regular plan described in *The Histories* by Herodotus (484-406 B.C.). Buildings were of kiln-baked brick and bitumen.

PERSIAN EMPIRE

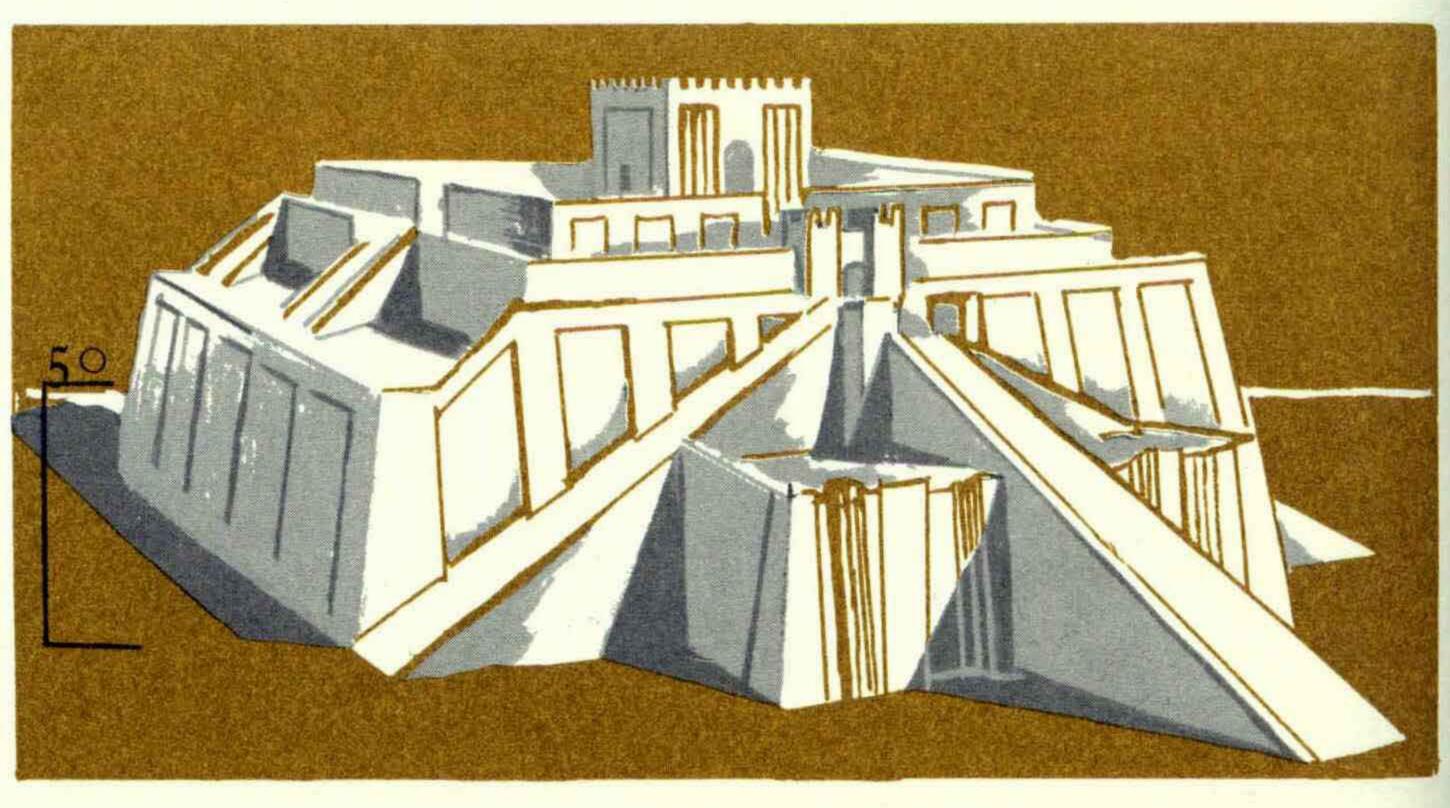
Palaces were built at the capital city of Susa, at Pasargadae and Persepolis, being constructed of stone which was abundant in Persia; whilst raised platforms and glazed coloured bricks were adapted from the Assyrians; also influences from Babylon, Syria and Egypt.

SECOND PERSIAN—SASSANID—EMPIRE

The capital city at Ctesiphon. Buildings were erected of kiln-baked brick, vaults and the earliest domes being built over square compartments, developed by the Byzantines.

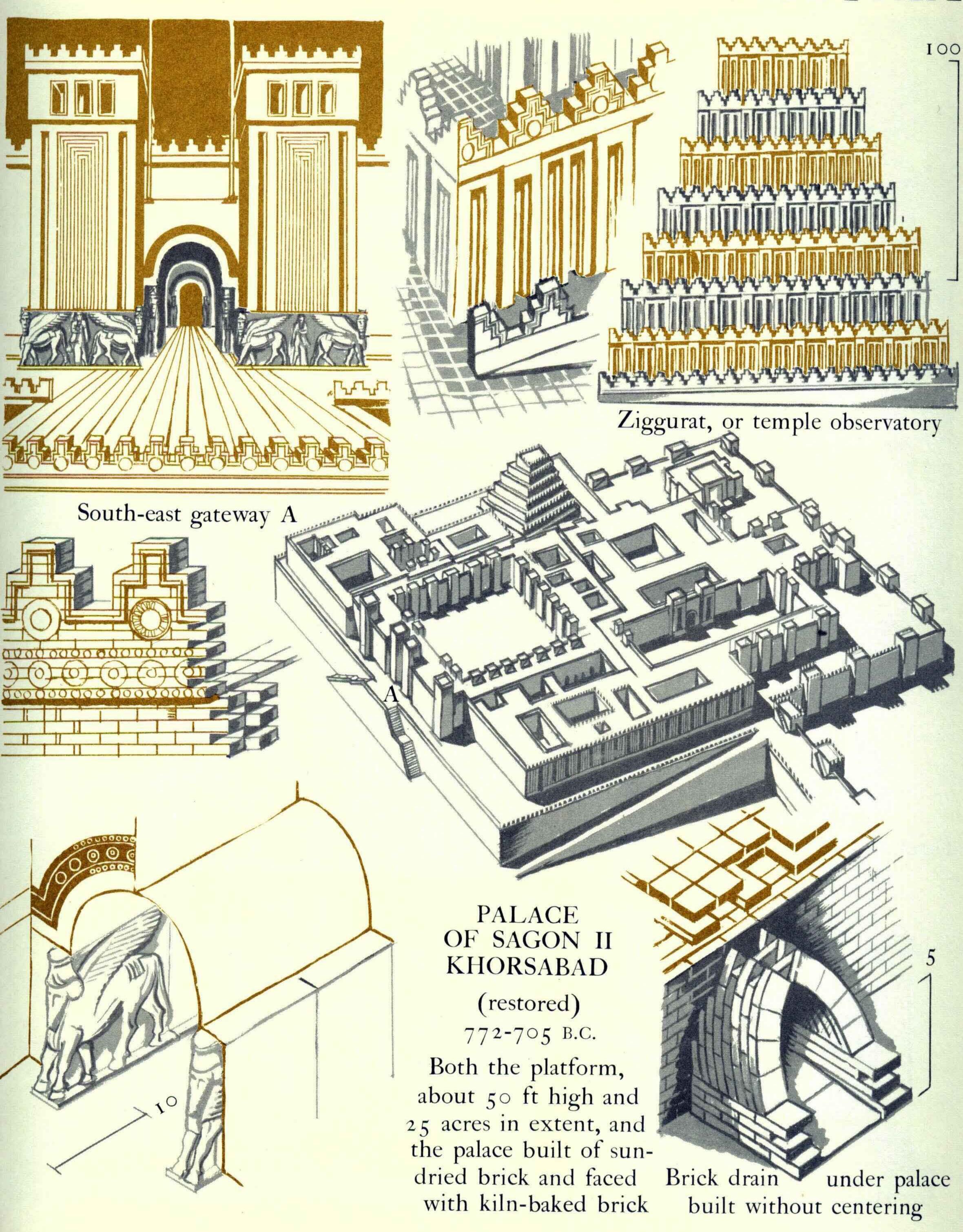


Stilus, scale and plan of King Gudea of Lagash, c.2350 B.C.

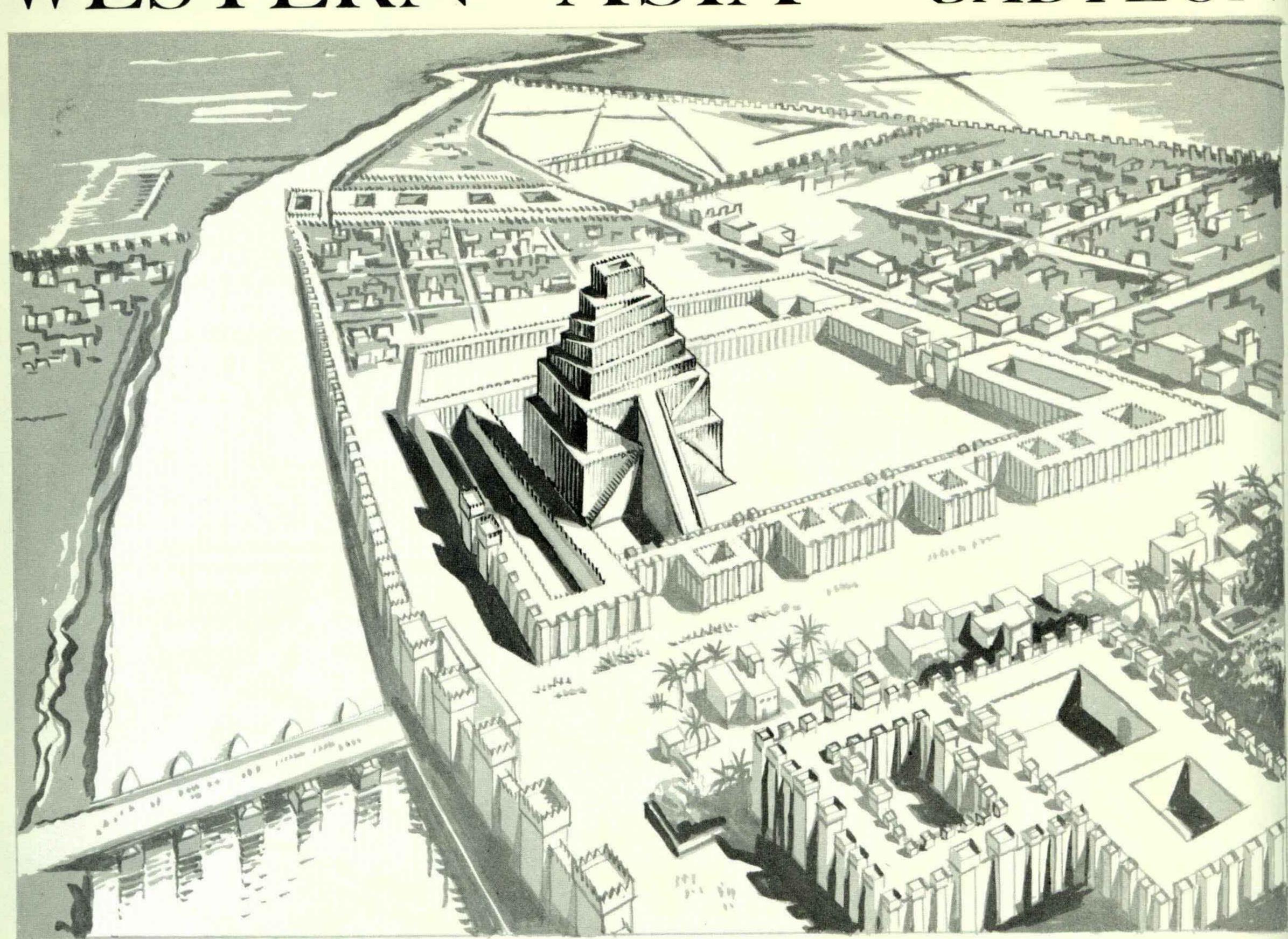


The Ziggurat, Ur (restored), c.2350 B.C.

INTRODUCTION - ASSYRIA

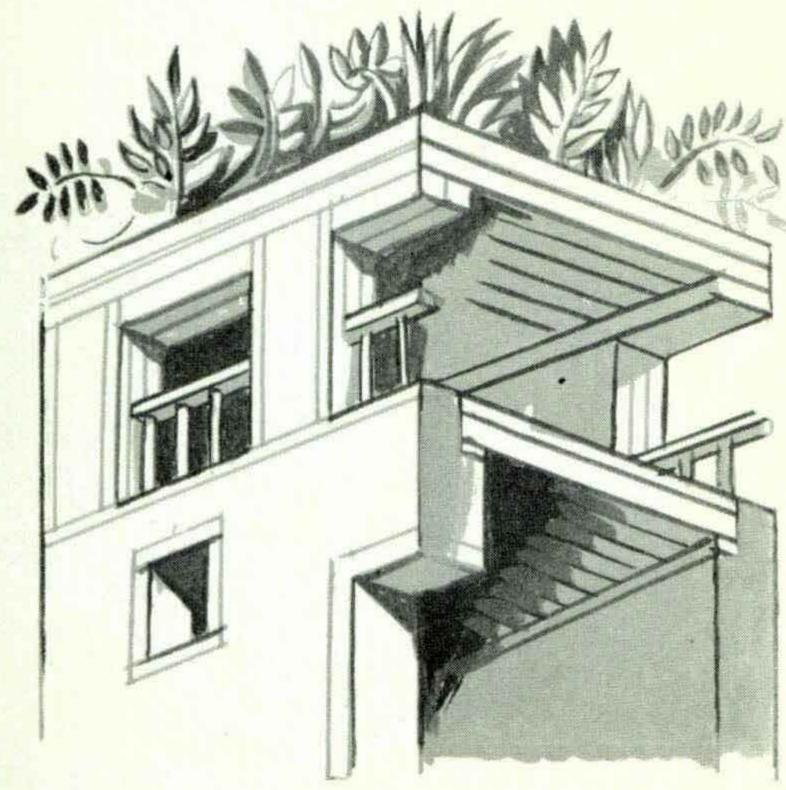


WESTERN ASIA BABYLON

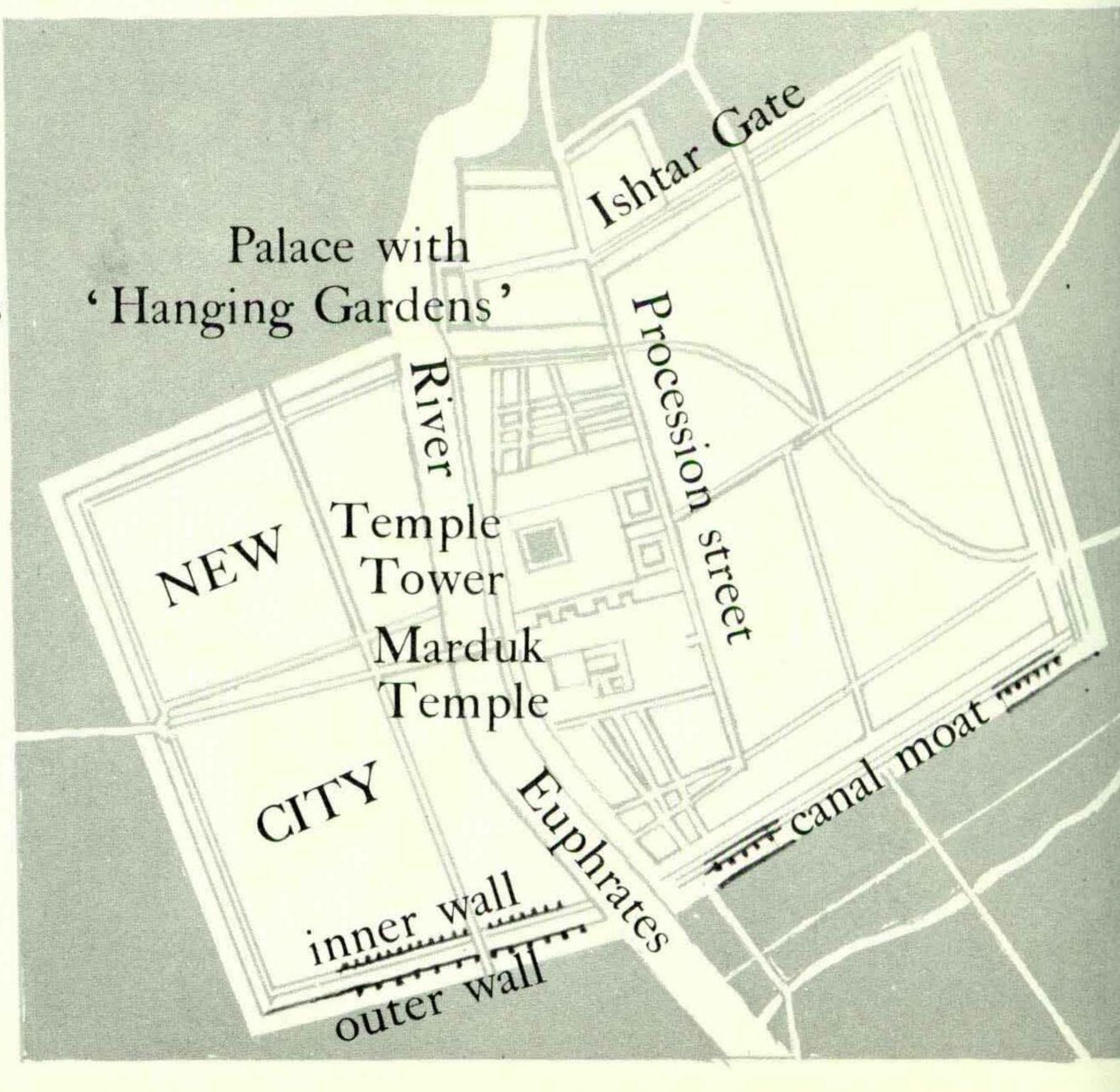


THE CITY OF BABYLON (reconstructed),
as rebuilt by Nebuchadnezzar,
604-561 B.C., during the Second
Babylonian Empire.

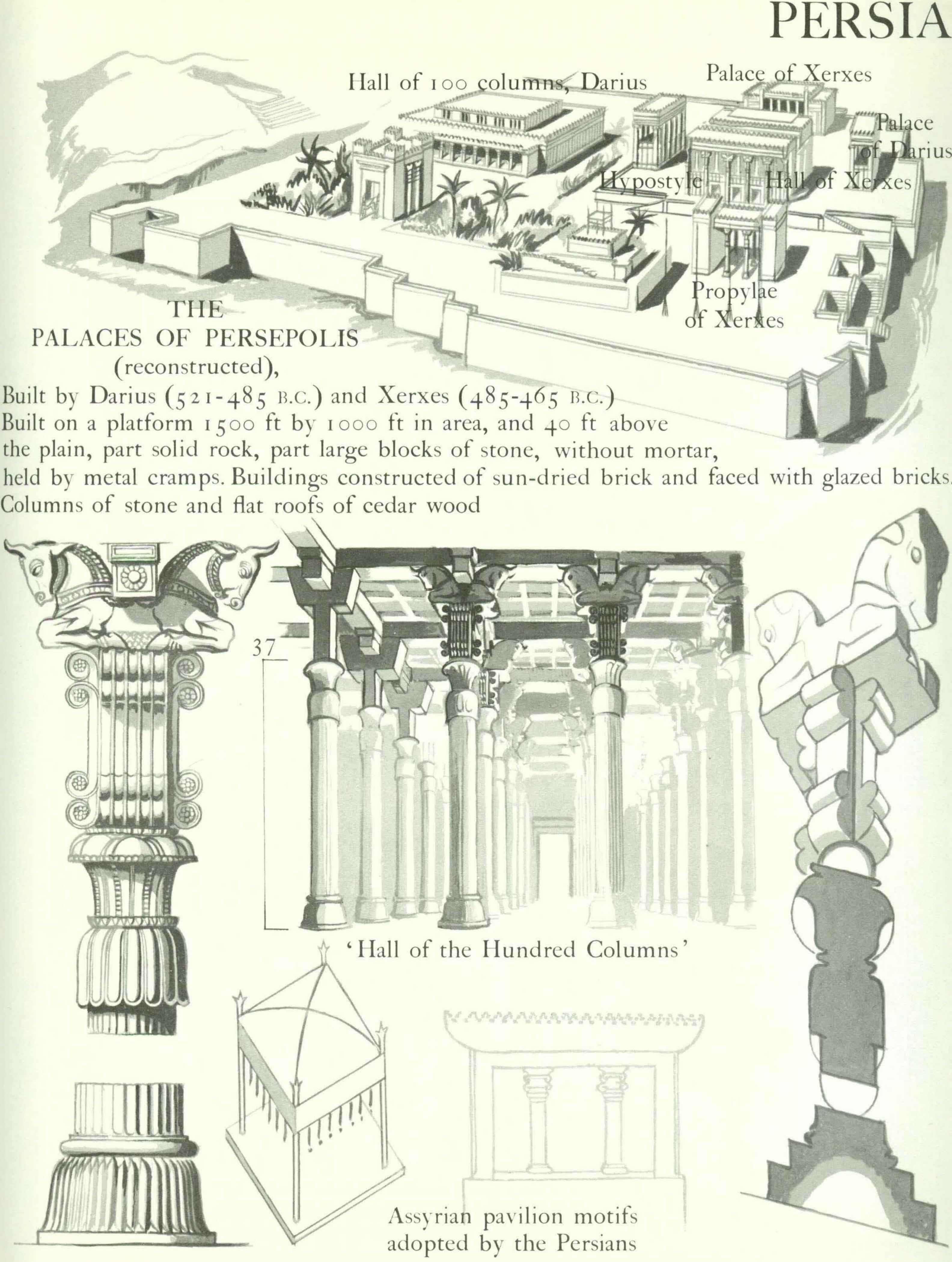
Described in The Histories of Herodotus



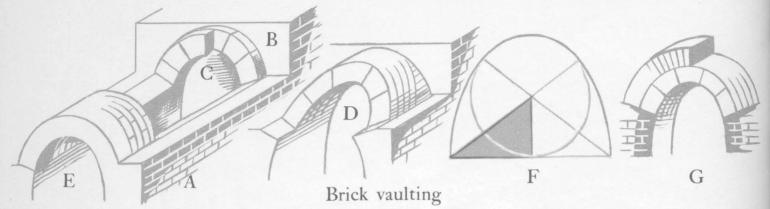
House with roof-garden



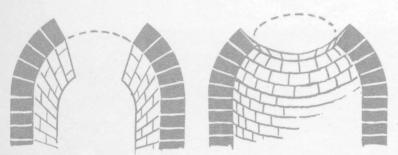
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WESTERN ASIA VAULTS &



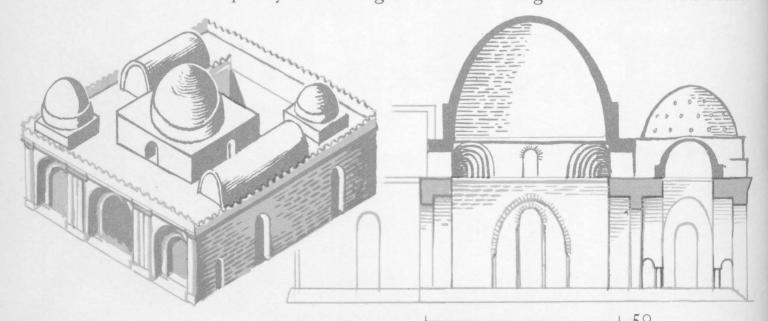
Bricks were laid to form a base A; against an end wall B wedge-shaped bricks were fixed with mortar C. To ensure adherence these were often laid in sloping courses D. An arch was constructed with little or no centering to complete the vault E. To facilitate work and to reduce pressure, vaults (and domes) had a high oval profile F. When completed vaults were often re-inforced by a second or more courses of brick G. Sassanid Persian buildings, vaults and domes were constructed of kiln-baked bricks laid with a mortar of lime and sand



The Persians built domes with little or no centering. A dome is an arched construction both vertically & horizontally: each ring of brick or stone once closed in cannot fall if it rests adequately on the ring below

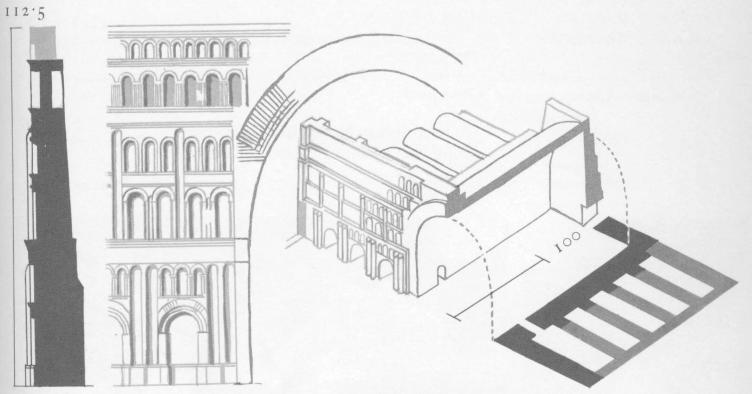


The Persians were the first to erect circular domes on square plans with four angular corbelled semi-domes

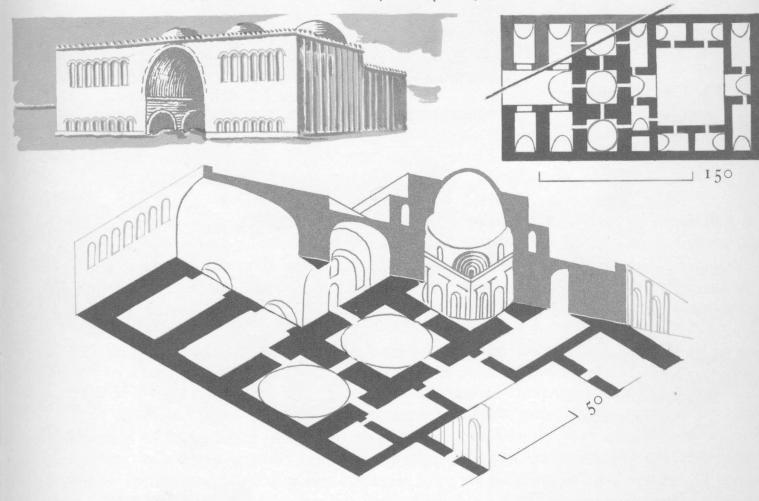


The Palace, Serbistan (exterior restored), c. A.D.350

DOMES - SECOND PERSIAN EMPIRE

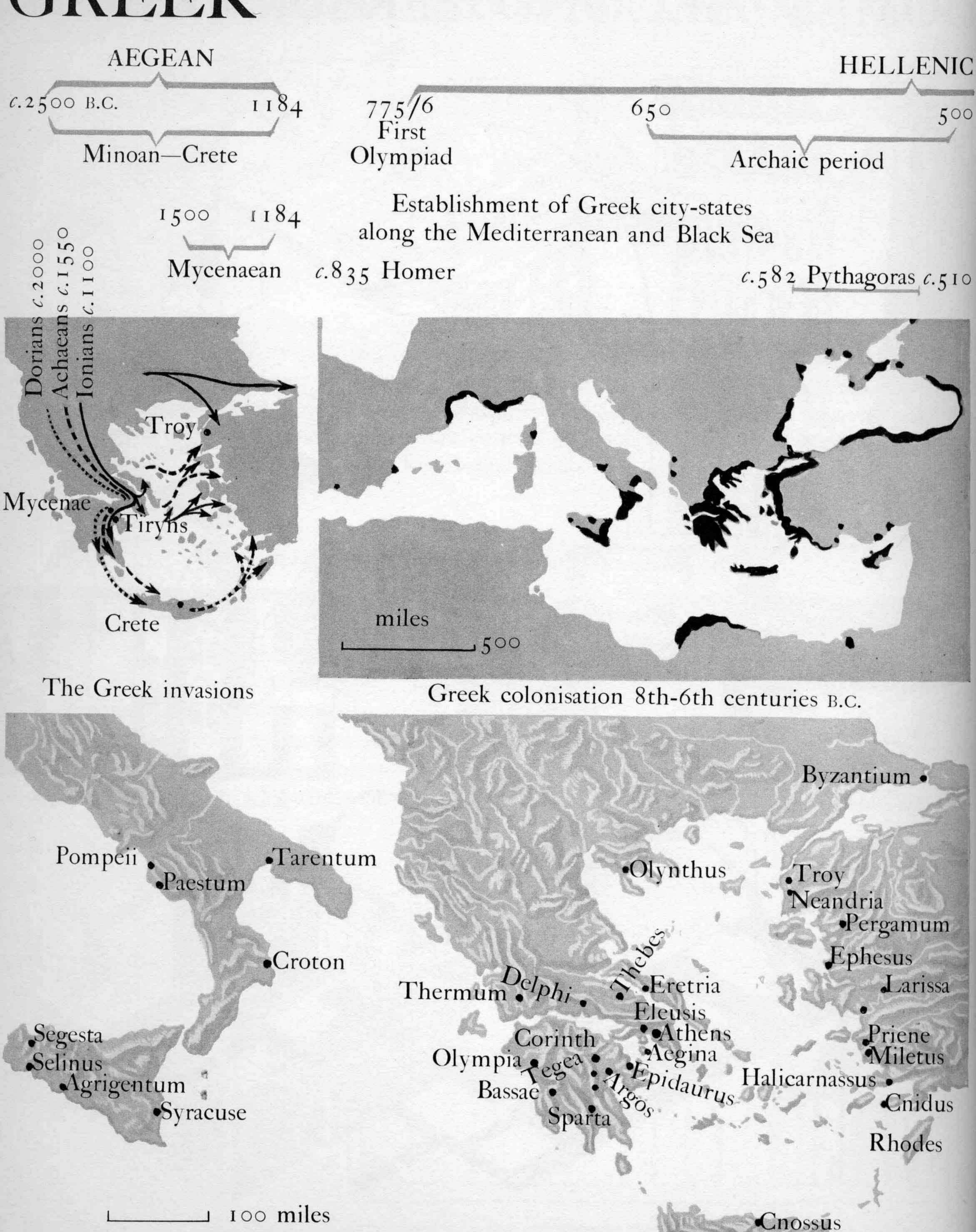


The Palace of Chosroes, Ctesiphon, 6th cent. A.D.



The Palace, Firouzabad (exterior restored), c. A.D.450

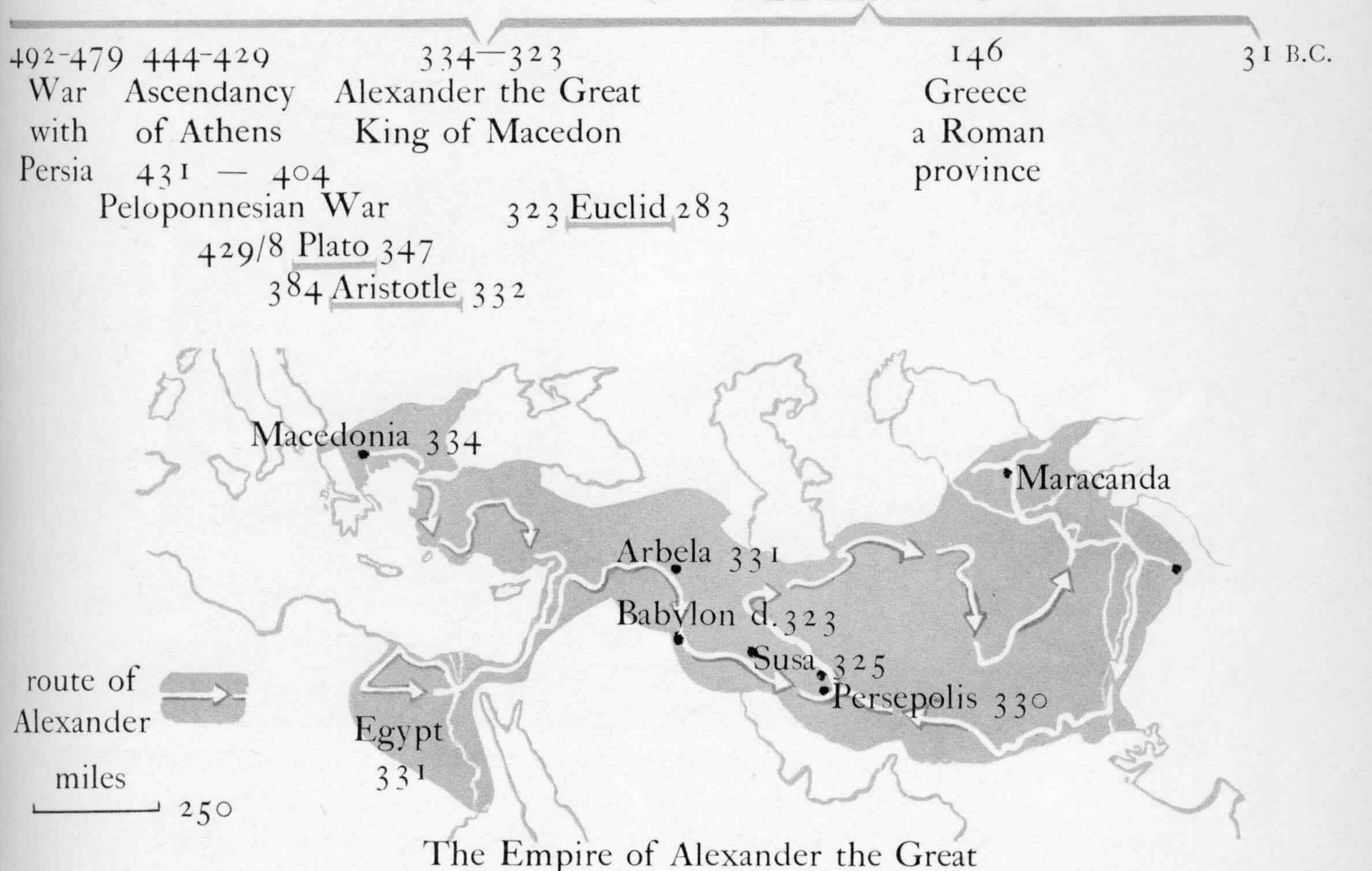
GREEK



Phaestus

INTRODUCTION

HELLENISTIC



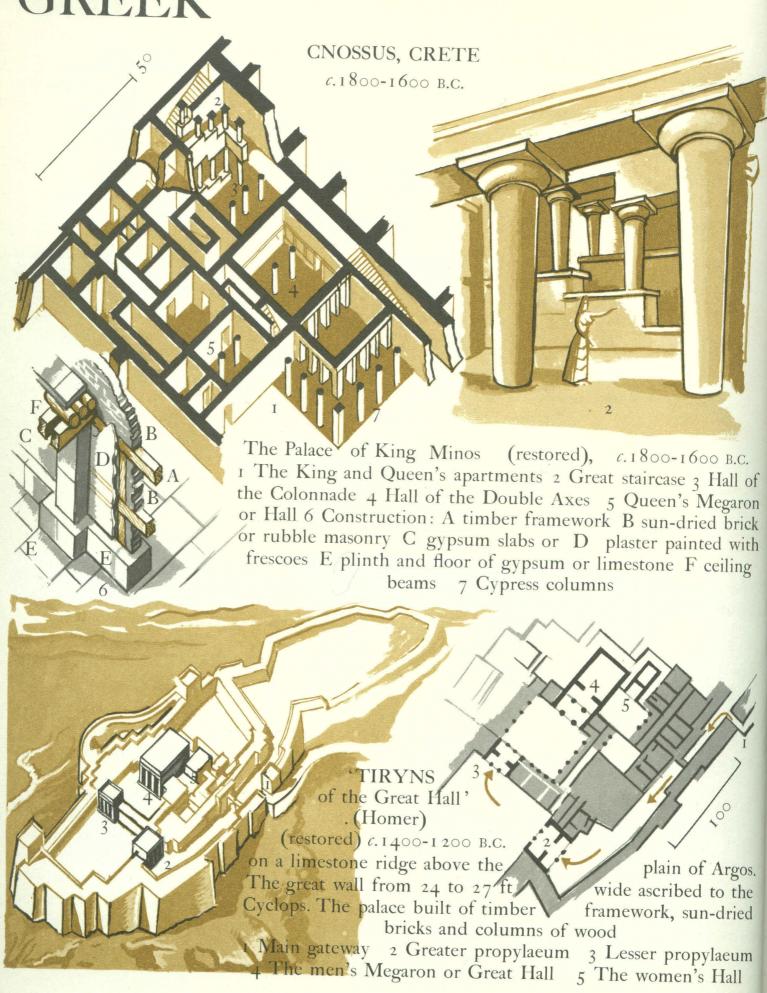
The Aegean Period. 1 No records survive of the Minoan sea-kings of Crete except remains of palaces, e.g. Cnossus. 2 The Mycenaeans built massive citadels with Cyclopean masonry and domed tholos tombs on the mainland. The Aegean civilization fell before the Homeric Greeks.

The Hellenic Period. The Greeks called themselves Hellenes (Hellas was called Graecia by the Romans). They formed numerous small city states in which primitive houses surrounded a citadel and later a temple built on an acropolis or upper city. National unity was achieved by pan-Hellenic festivals held at Olympia, Delphi, Argos and Corinth every few years.

The Hellenistic Period began with the Empire created by Alexander the Great when many new cities were founded with monumental buildings.

The Greek temple developed from the Mycenaean megaron built of sun-dried brick, stone and timber to house a deity and to be looked at from outside, not to contain a congregation within. The arch was known to the Greeks, but they based their temples on the column & beam. These developed from the 6th-4th centuries B.C., each with its own ratios of proportions established by experience. Columns were often placed closer than necessary to support the entablature in order to create a repetitive rhythm of solids and voids. Optical refinements displaying an appearance of vitality and strength have been measured in a number of them. Many architects wrote treatises about their buildings, cited by Vitruvius (1st cent. B.C.) who classified their plans and proportions.

GREEK



THE AEGEAN



MYCENAE (restored), c.1350 B.C.
The citadel palace of Agamemnon,
Cyclopean walls of boulders weighing 5 to 6
tons were eased into alignment on pebbles



Lion Gate, Mycenae, c. 1200 B.C.



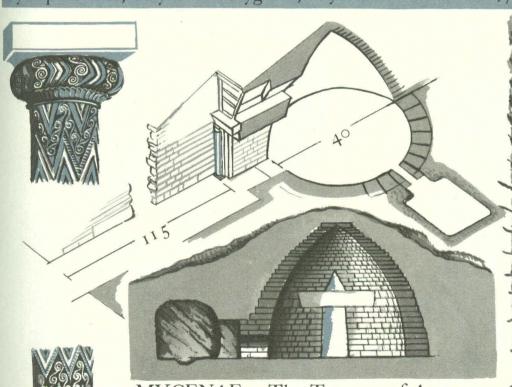
Cyclopean wall, Tiryns



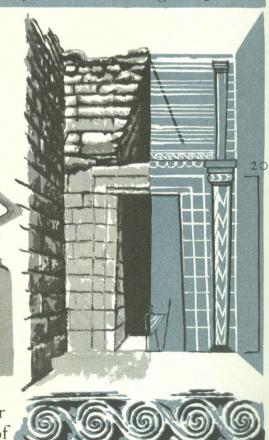
Polygonal, Mycenae



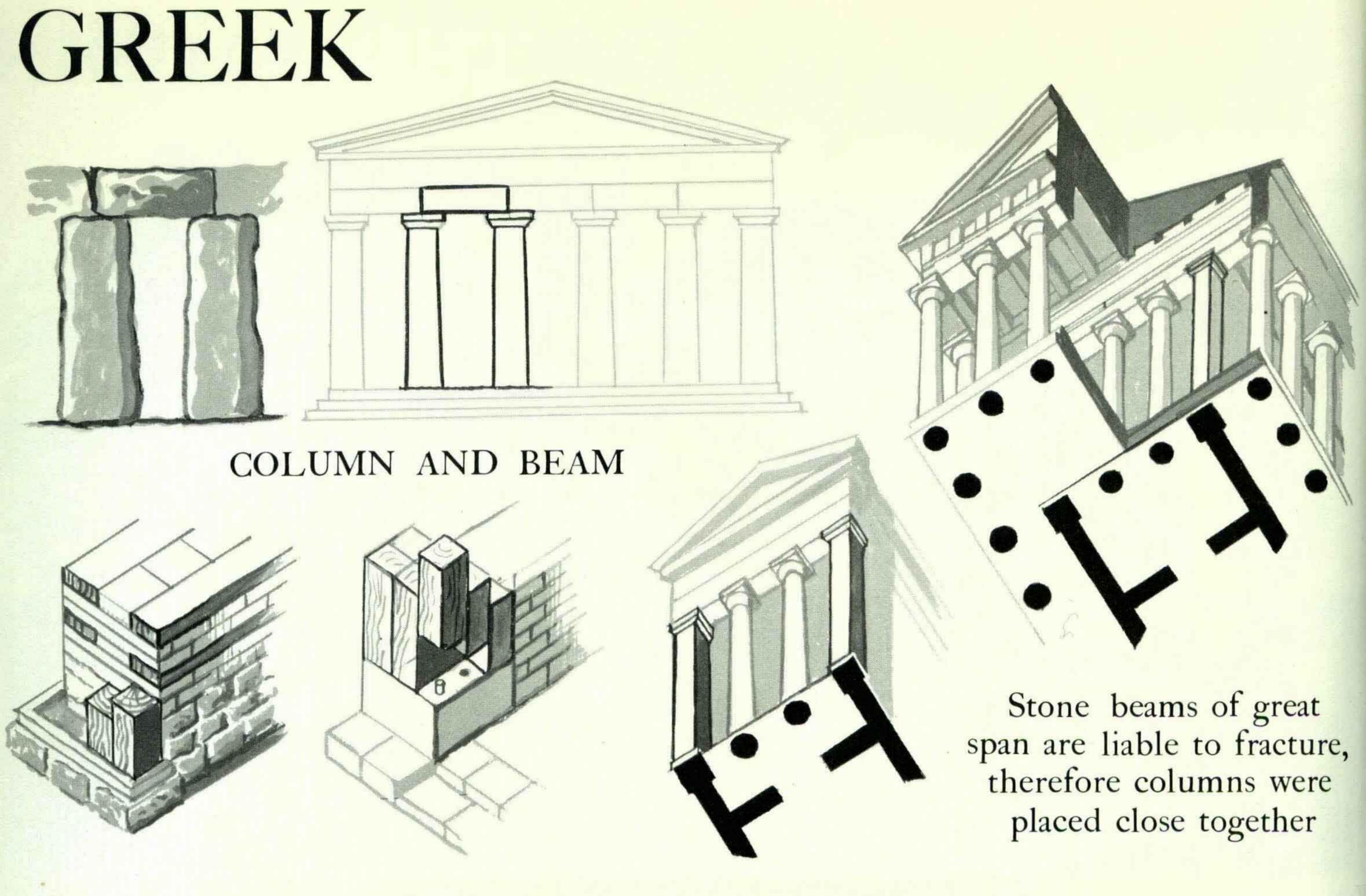
Curvilinear, 7th cent. Rectangular, 5th cent.



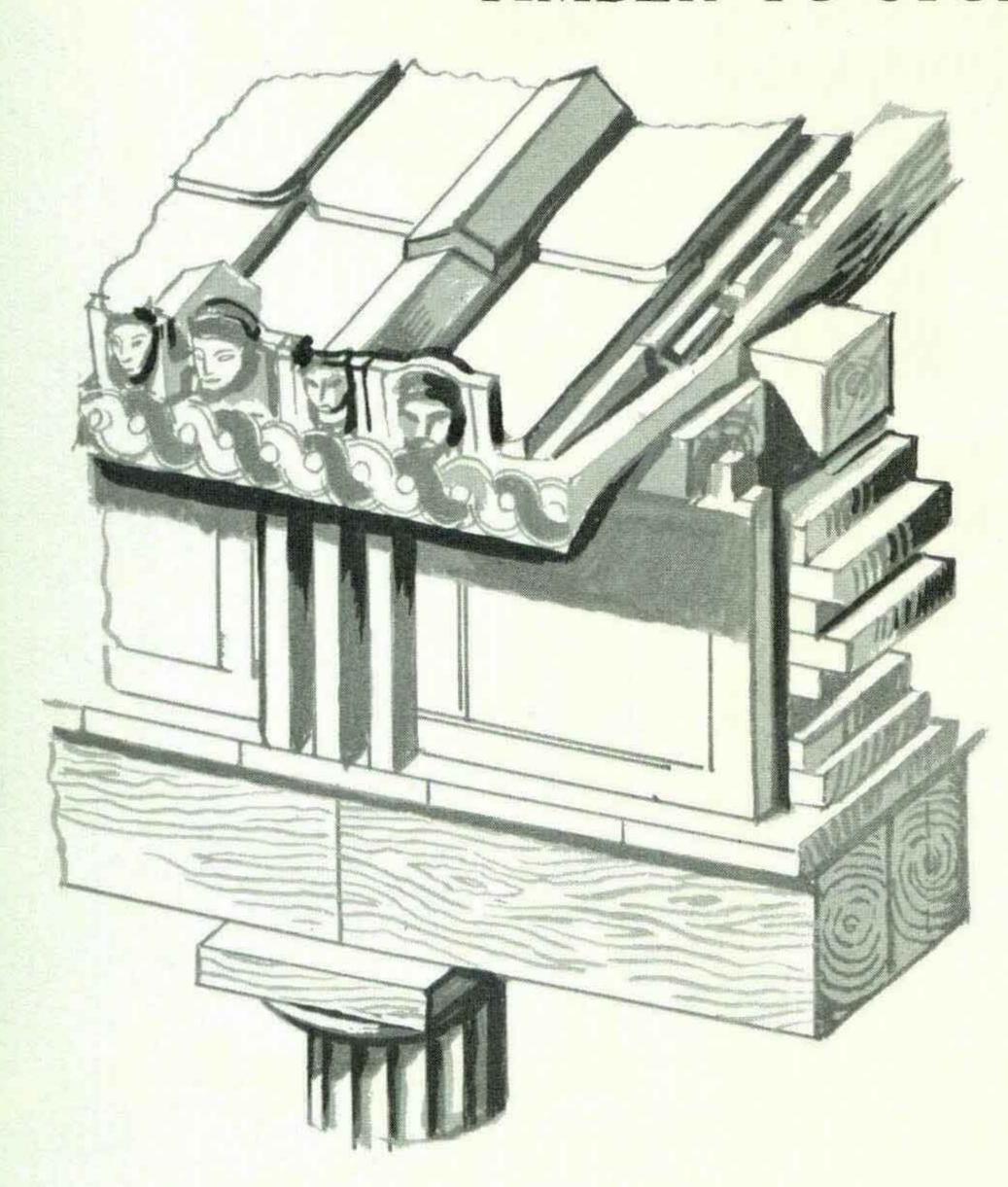
MYCENAE, The Treasury of Atreus,
1330-1300 B.C. One of some 40 beehive or
tholos tombs on the Greek mainland. Built of
horizontal overlapping courses of lime-stone or
corbelling without centering. The door-way
flanked by 2 green sandstone half-columns
with a relieving triangle above



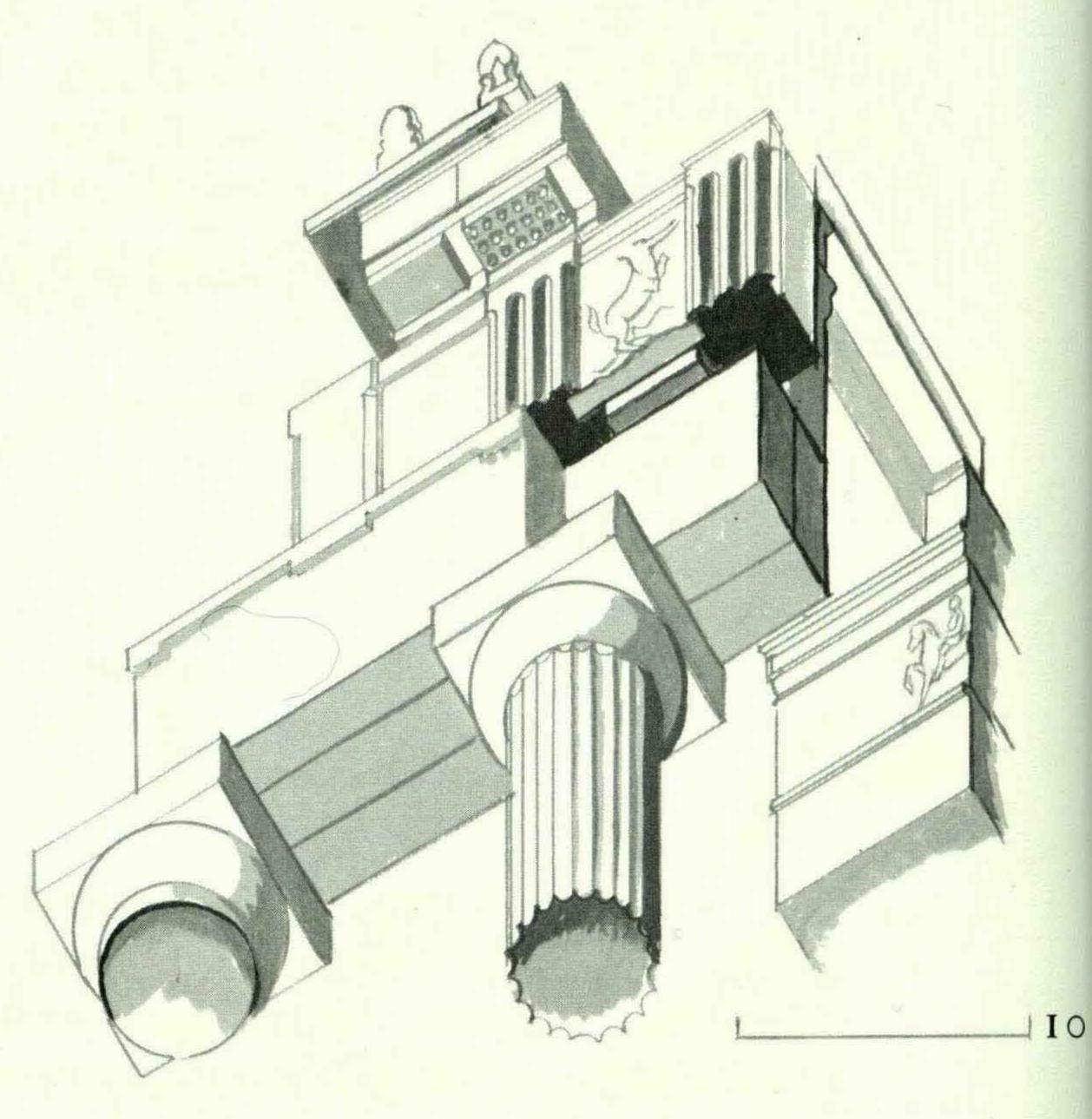




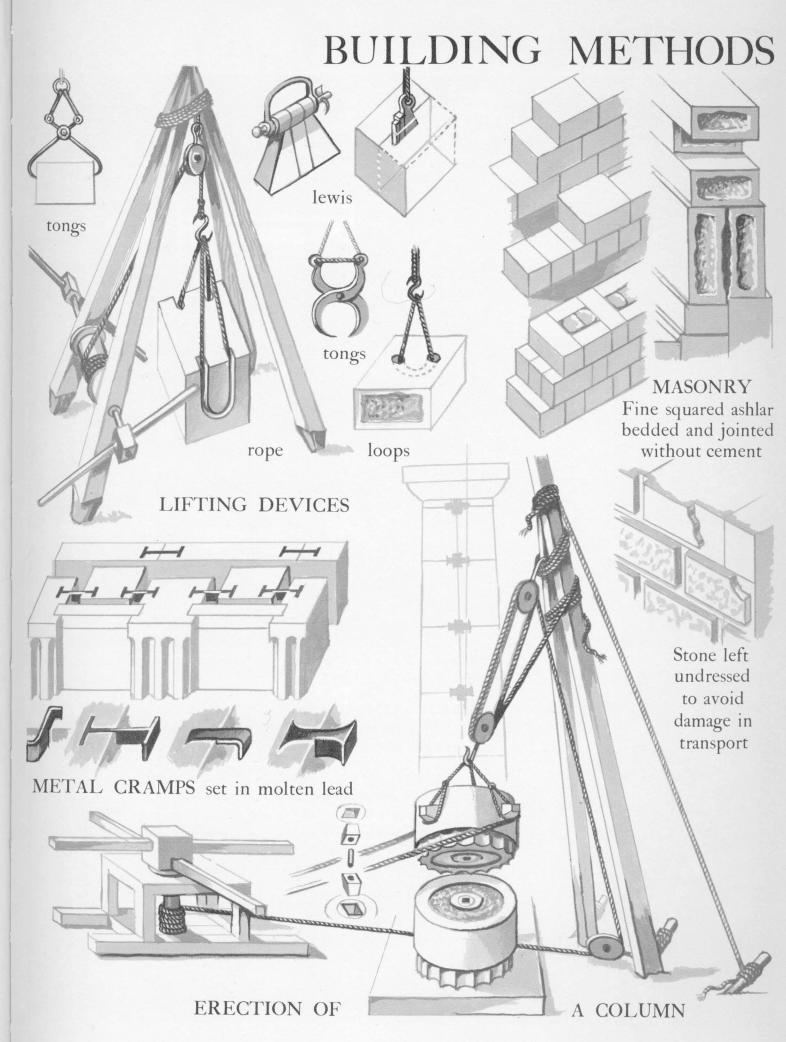
TIMBER TO STONE ANTAE OR PILASTERS



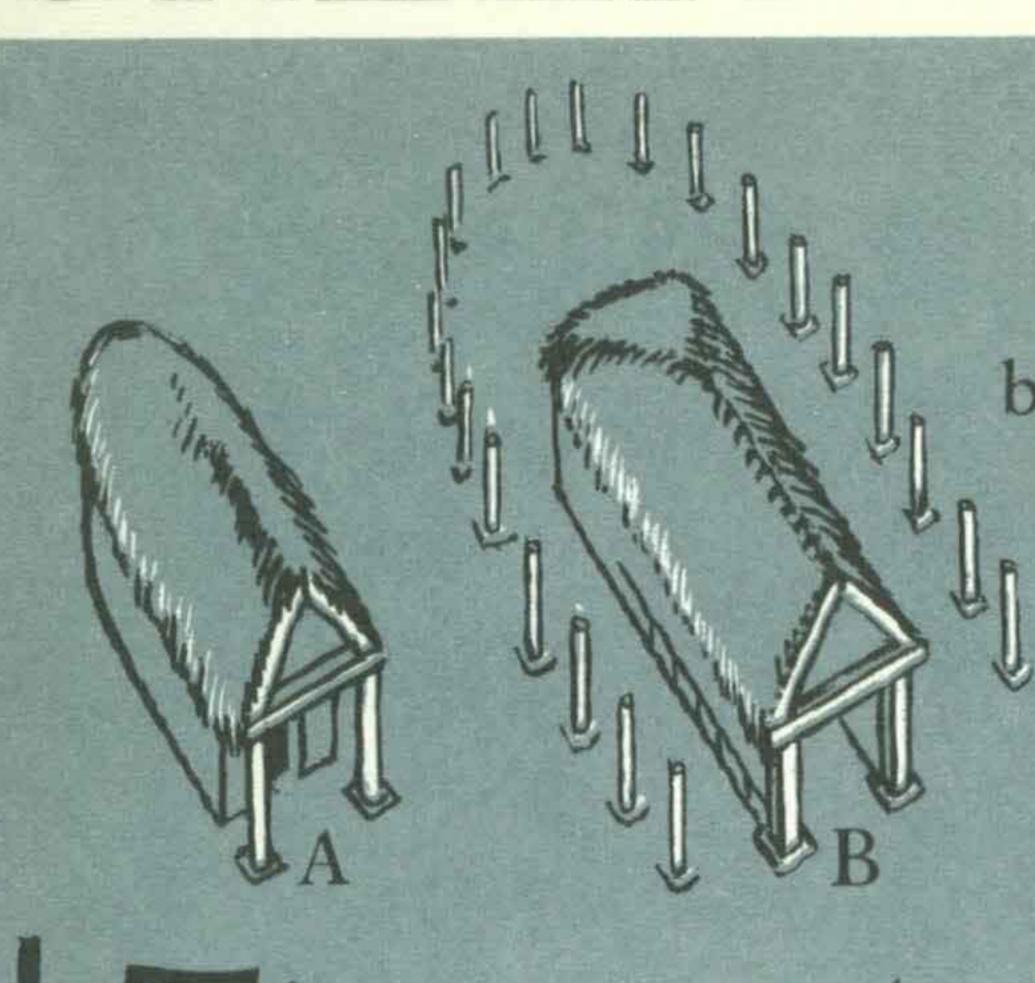
TIMBER construction, c.620 B.C. Doric temple of Apollo, Thermum. Wooden entablature and columns



MARBLE construction, c.477-438 B.C. The Parthenon, Athens

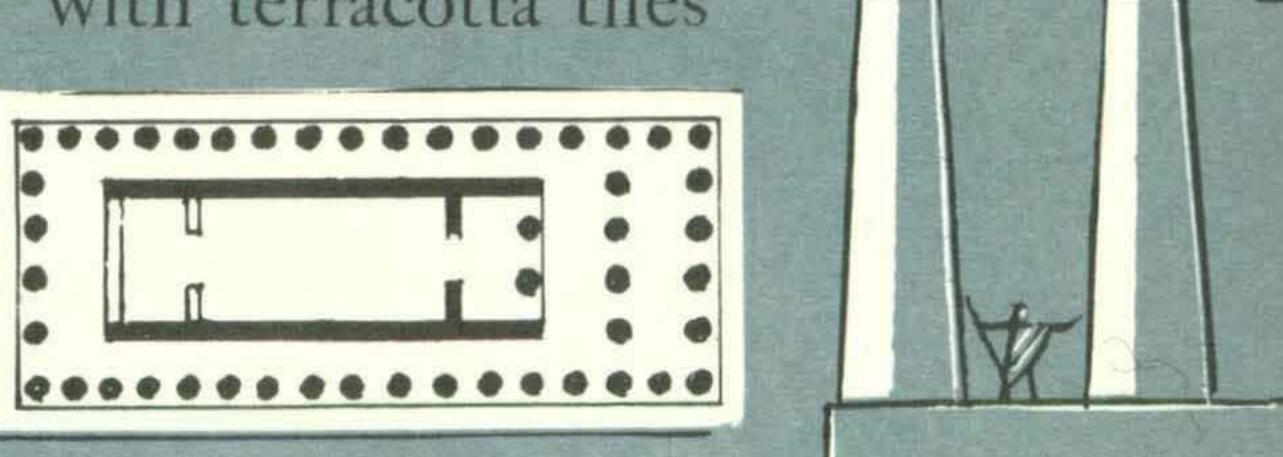


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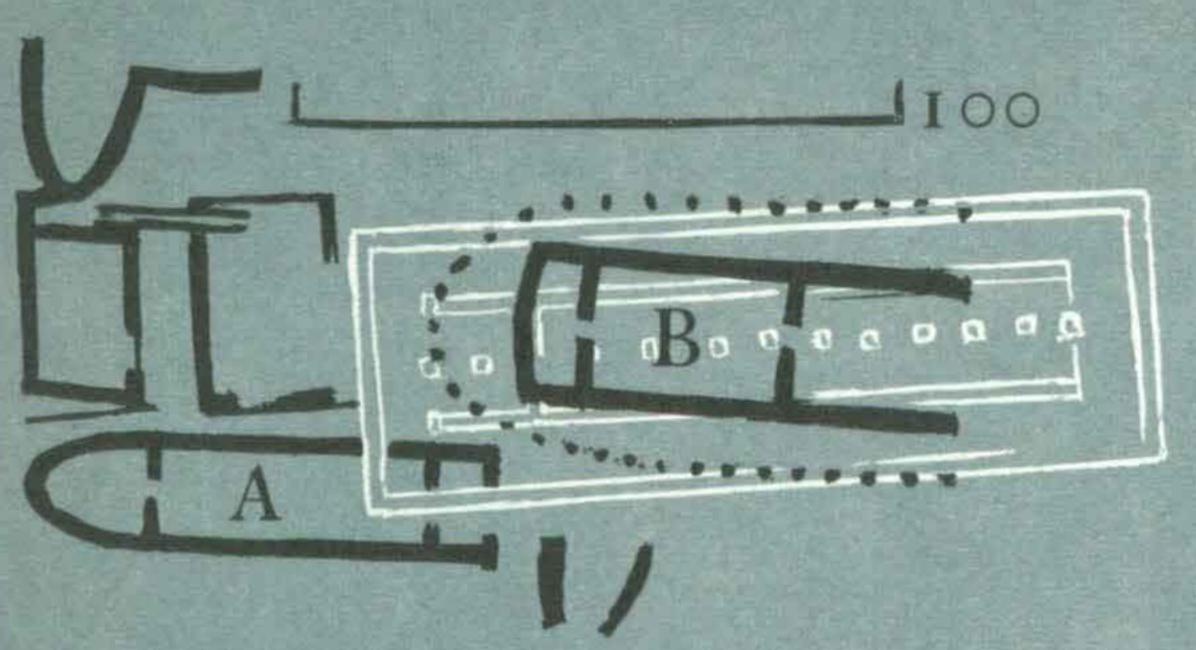


The Heraeum, Olympia, c.649 B.C. Walls sun-dried brick. Stone replaced wood columns as they decayed. Gable roof with terracotta tiles

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Temple of Apollo, Syracuse, c.575 B.C. Monolithic stone columns

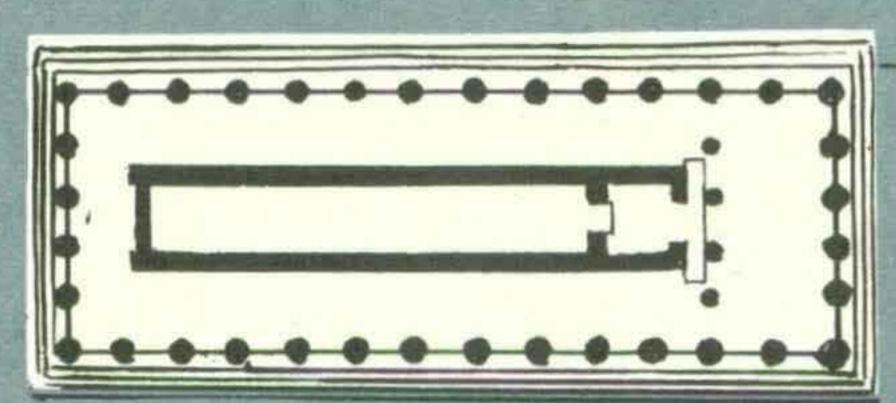


Sanctuary of Thermum, Aetolia

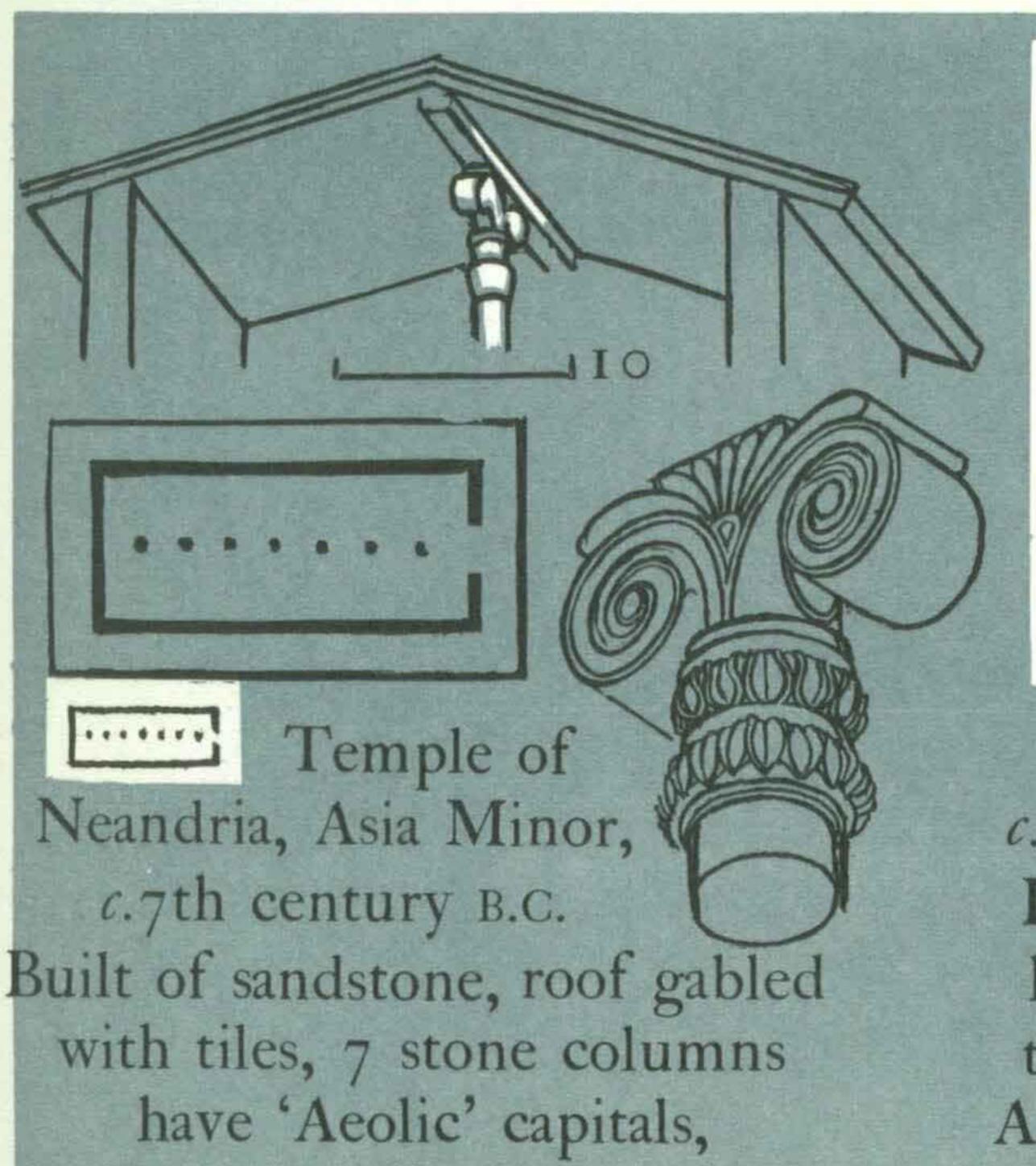
Megaron A, C.2000-1500 B.C. Small stones wood and clay, roof thatched with reeds

Megaron B, c. 1000-800 B.C. House or Temple. carry walls of 18 posts formed the first known Greek peripteral temple scheme

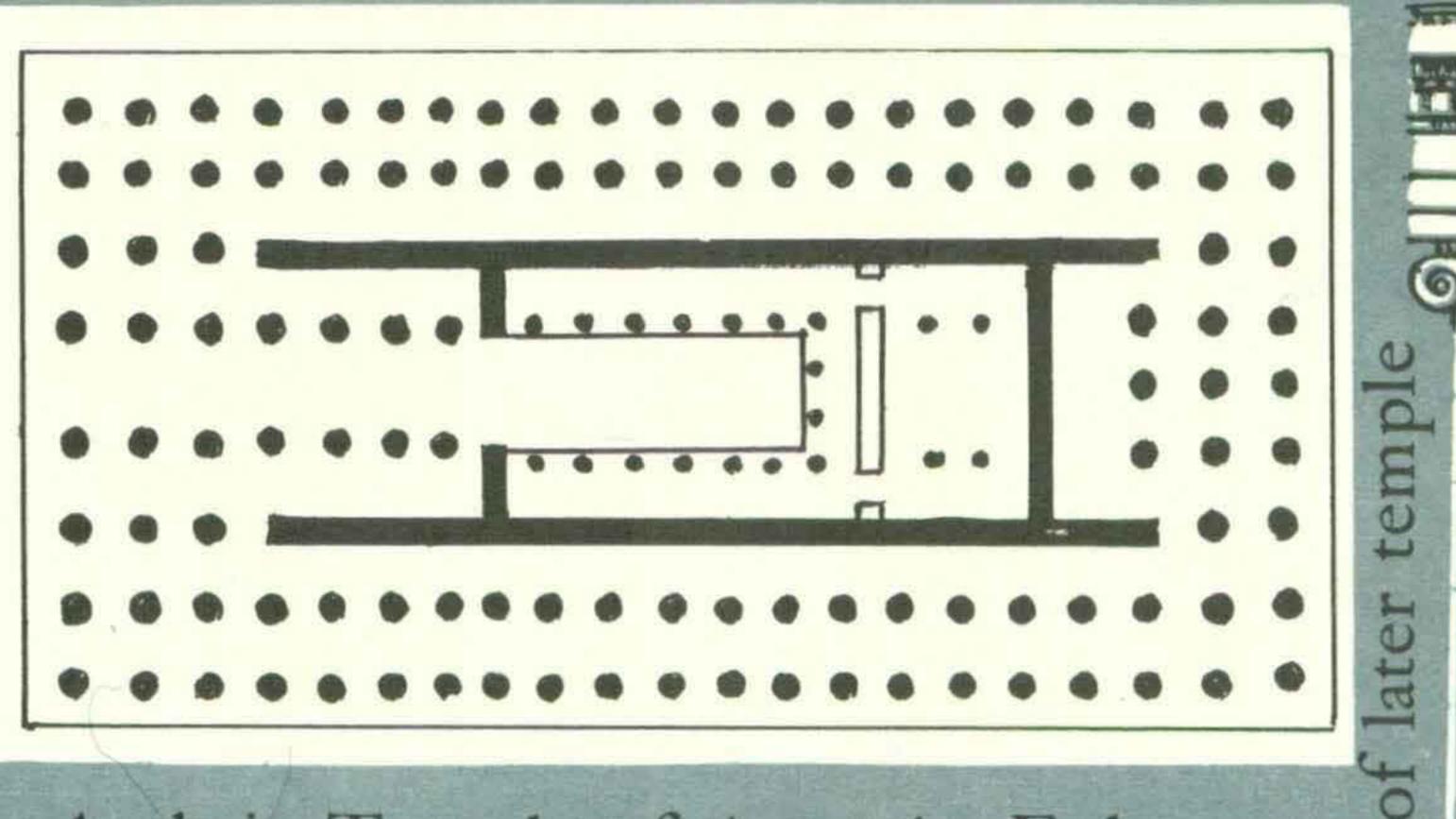
. The Temple of Apollo, c.600 B.C., built over Megaron B. Columns and entablature of wood



Temple F, Selinus, c.560 B.C. Stone screens join the columns

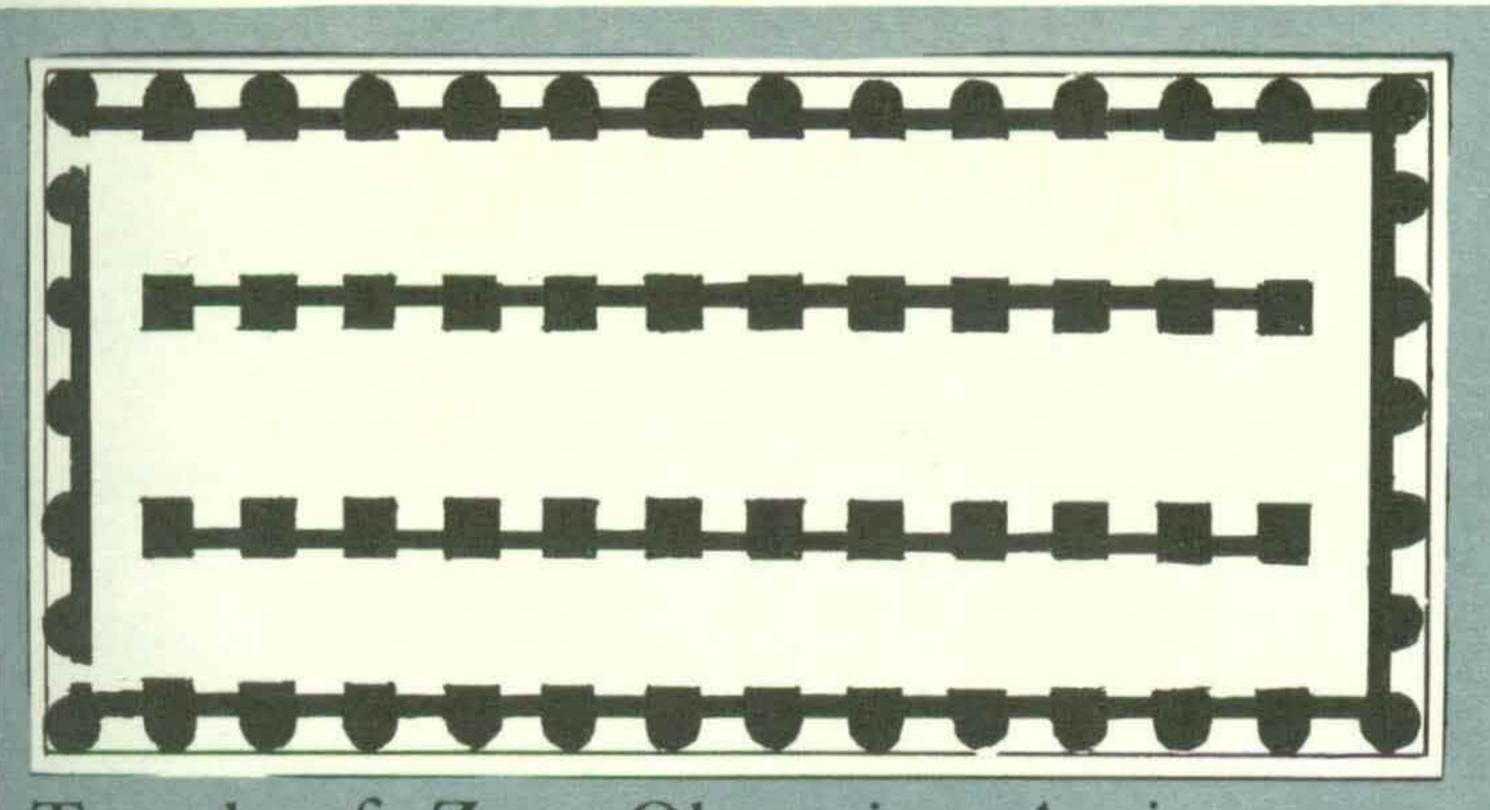


i.e. Asiatic-Ionic motifs.



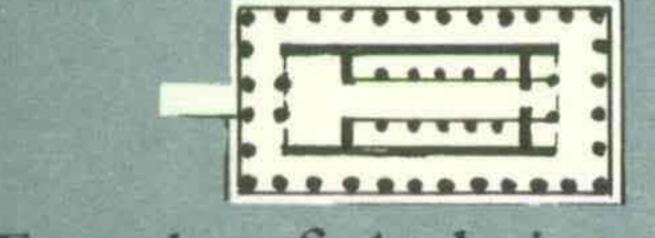
Archaic Temple of Artemis, Ephesus, c. 560 B.C. Burnt down and rebuilt, 356 B.C. Designed by Chersiphron of Cnossus and E his son Metagenes who wrote a work on the temple, now lost, cited by Vitruvius. Appearance conjectural, columns of marble, walls of limestone faced with marble

PLANS, DORIC & IONIC TEMPLES

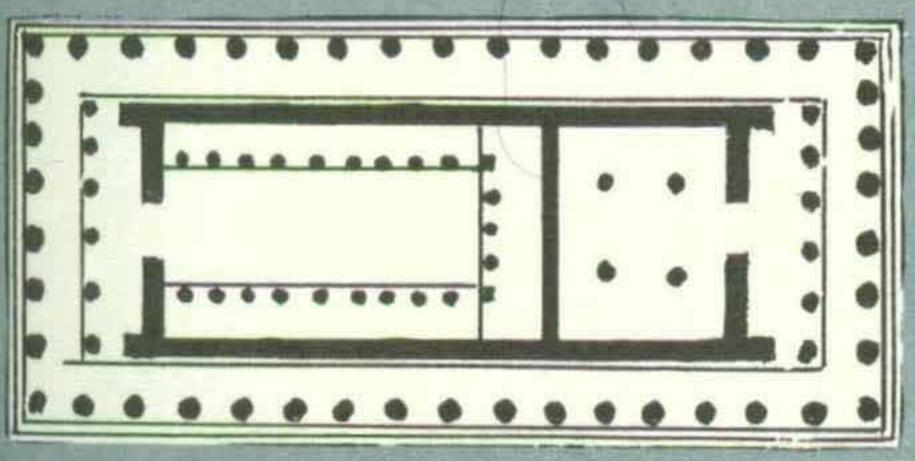


Temple of Zeus Olympius, Agrigentum, c.480 B.C.

Built of coarse stone faced with marble dust cement; position of figures conjectural



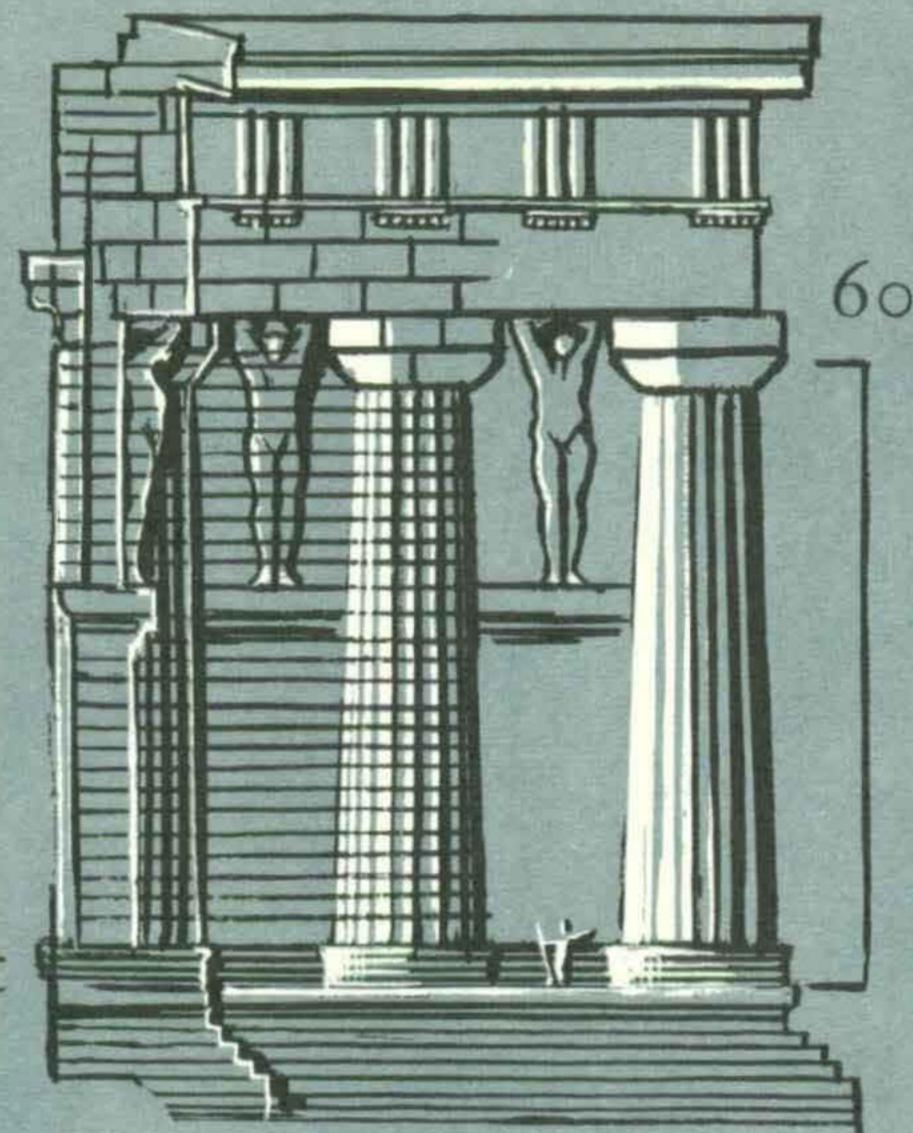
Temple of Aphaia, Aegina, c.490 B.C.



The Parthenon, Athens,

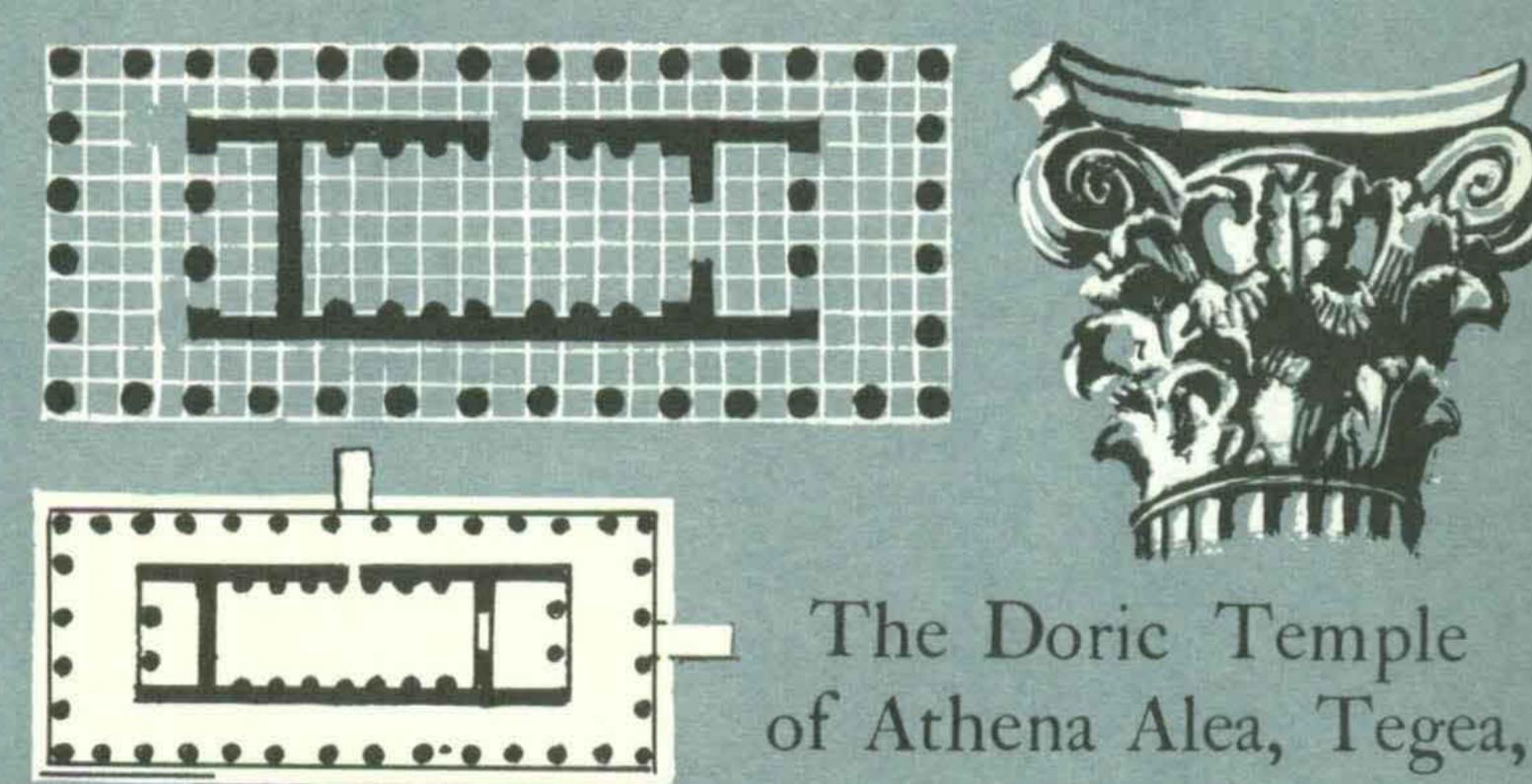
447-432 B.C. ctinus and Callicrates

Ictinus and Callicrates architects, Pheidias master sculptor; built of white marble



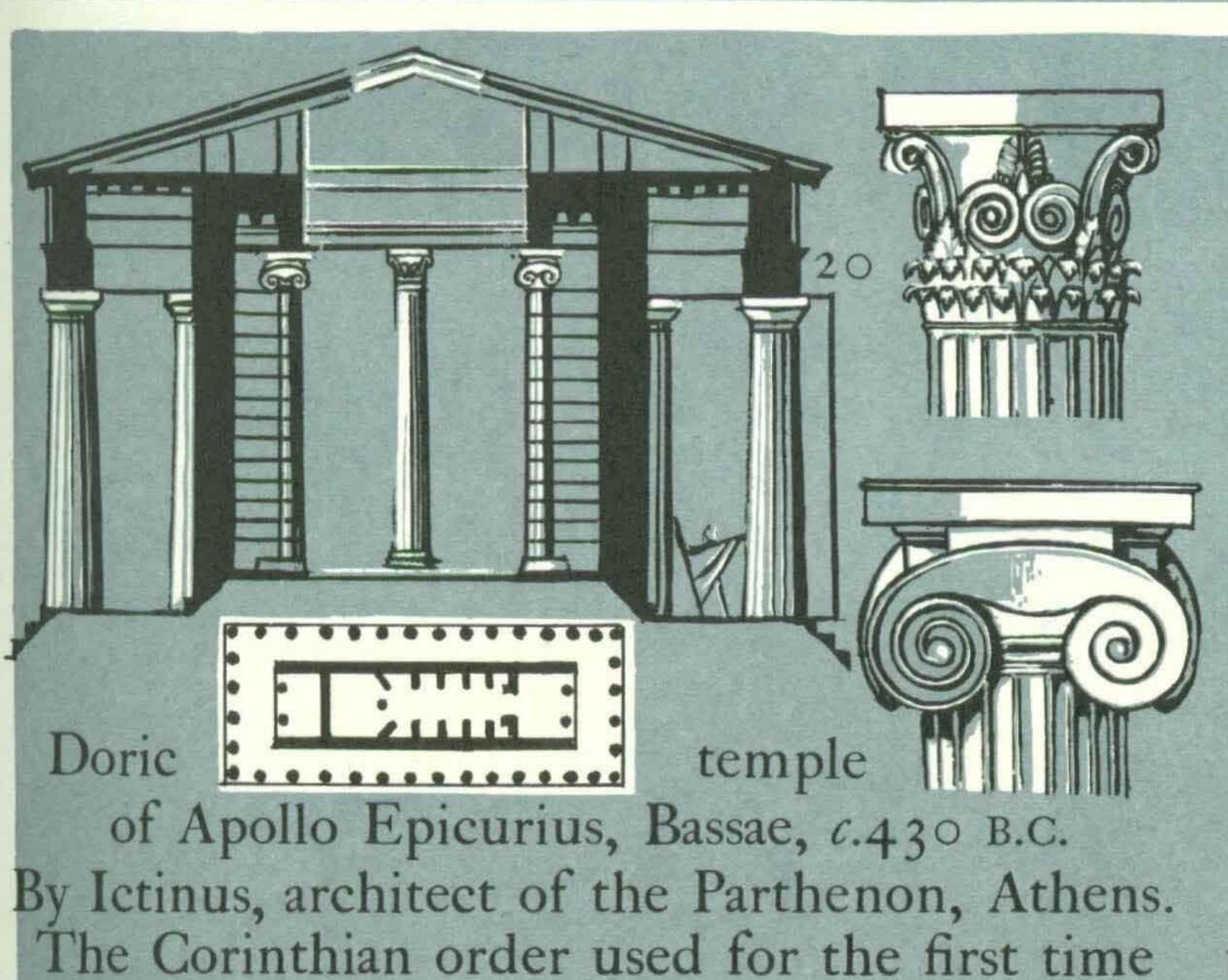
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Designed by the sculptor Scopas, the interior had 14 Corinthian engaged columns

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Built of fine-grained, brittle grey limestone;

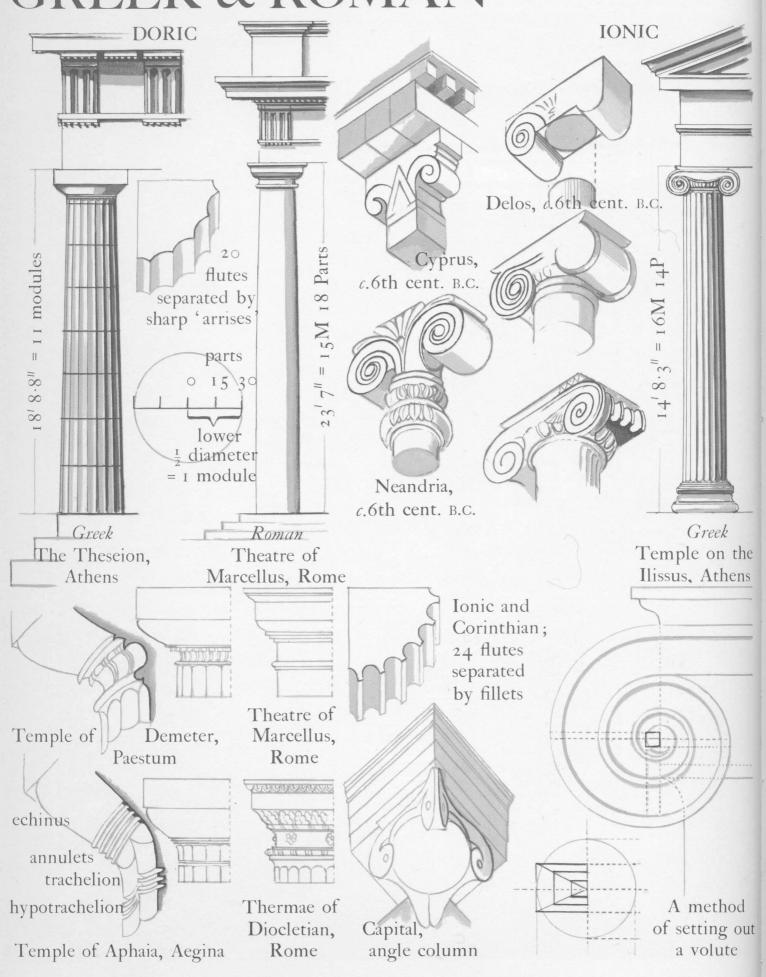
uetails in marble, roof of thin marble slabs.

Ionic temple of Athena Polias, Priene, c. 3 34 B.C.

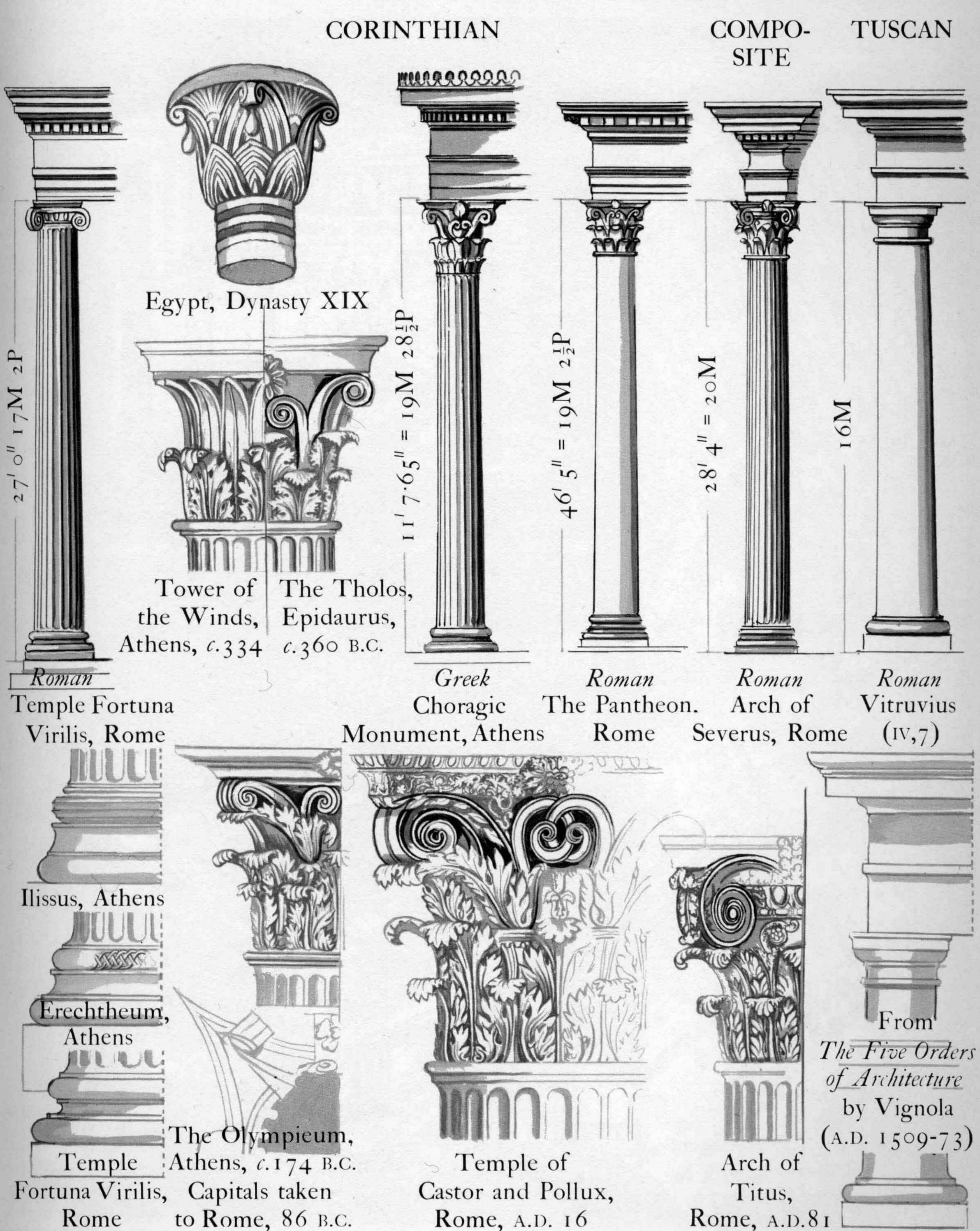
By Pythios, architect and sculptor of the Mausoleum, Halicarnassus, who wrote a book on the temple, since lost.

All the measurements are in multiples of the Ionic foot, i.e. 11.587 inches.

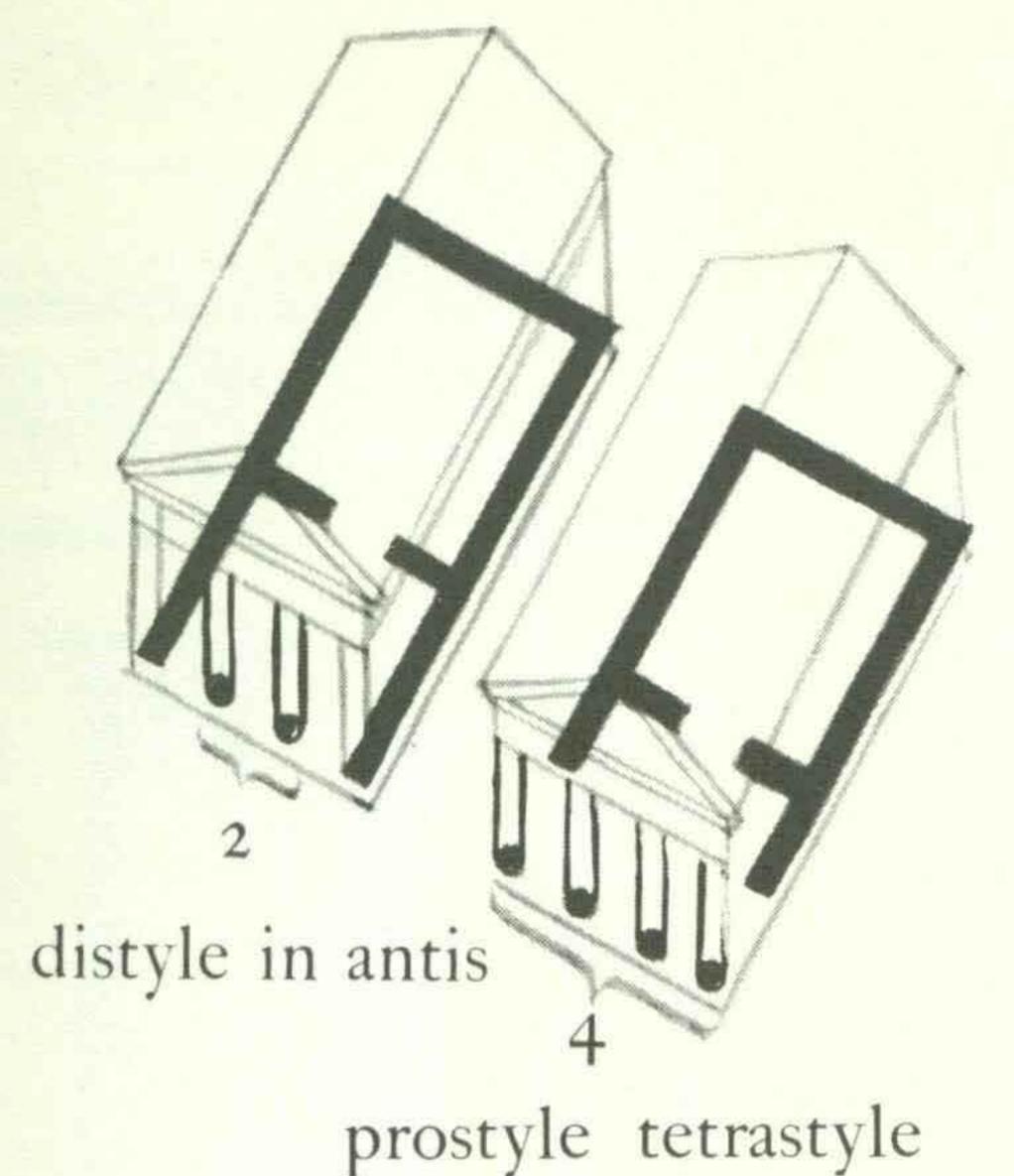
GREEK & ROMAN

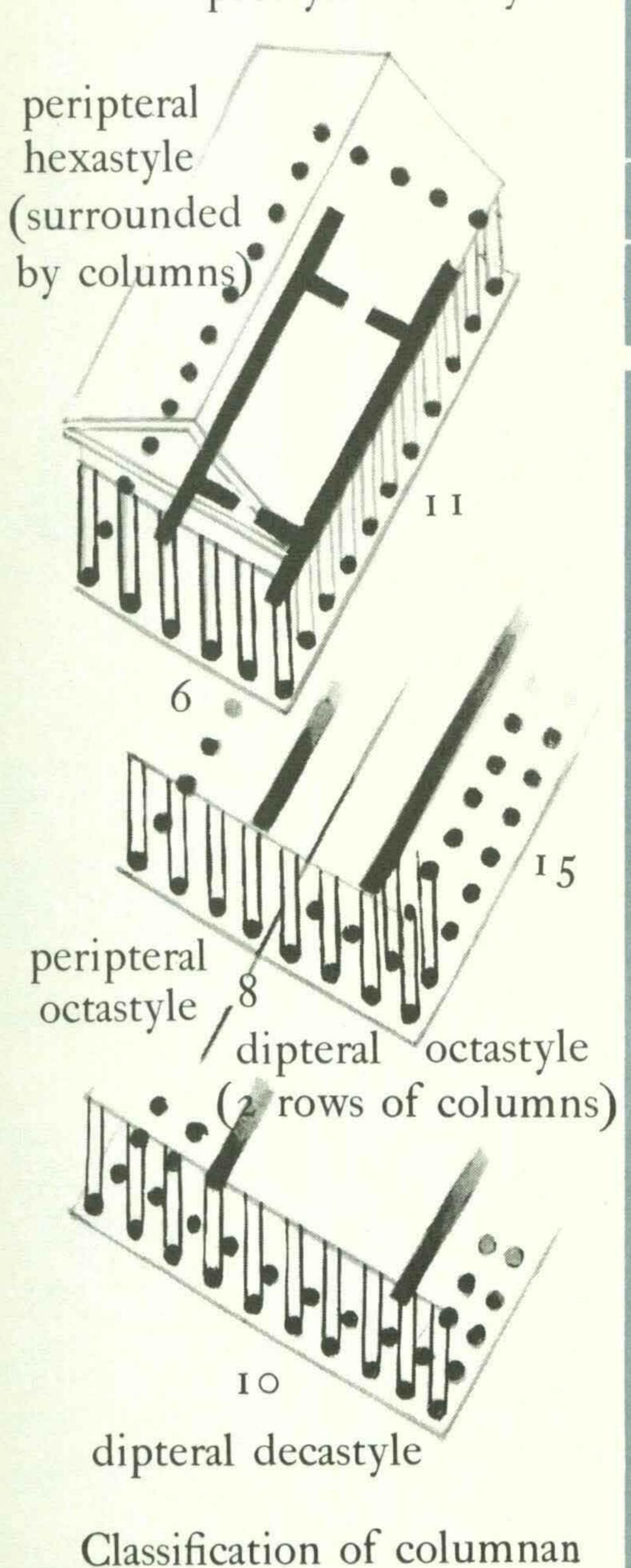


THE FIVE ORDERS



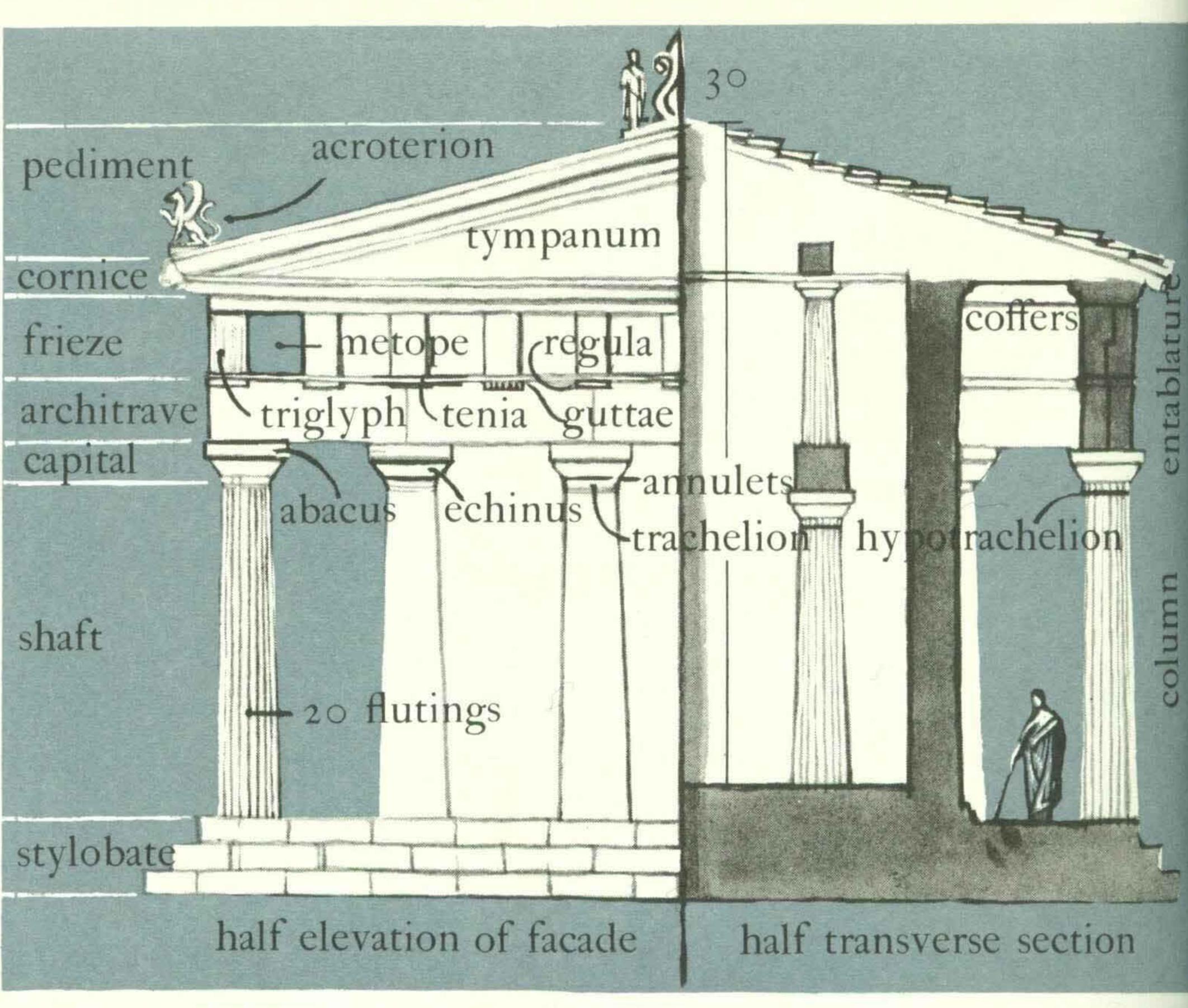
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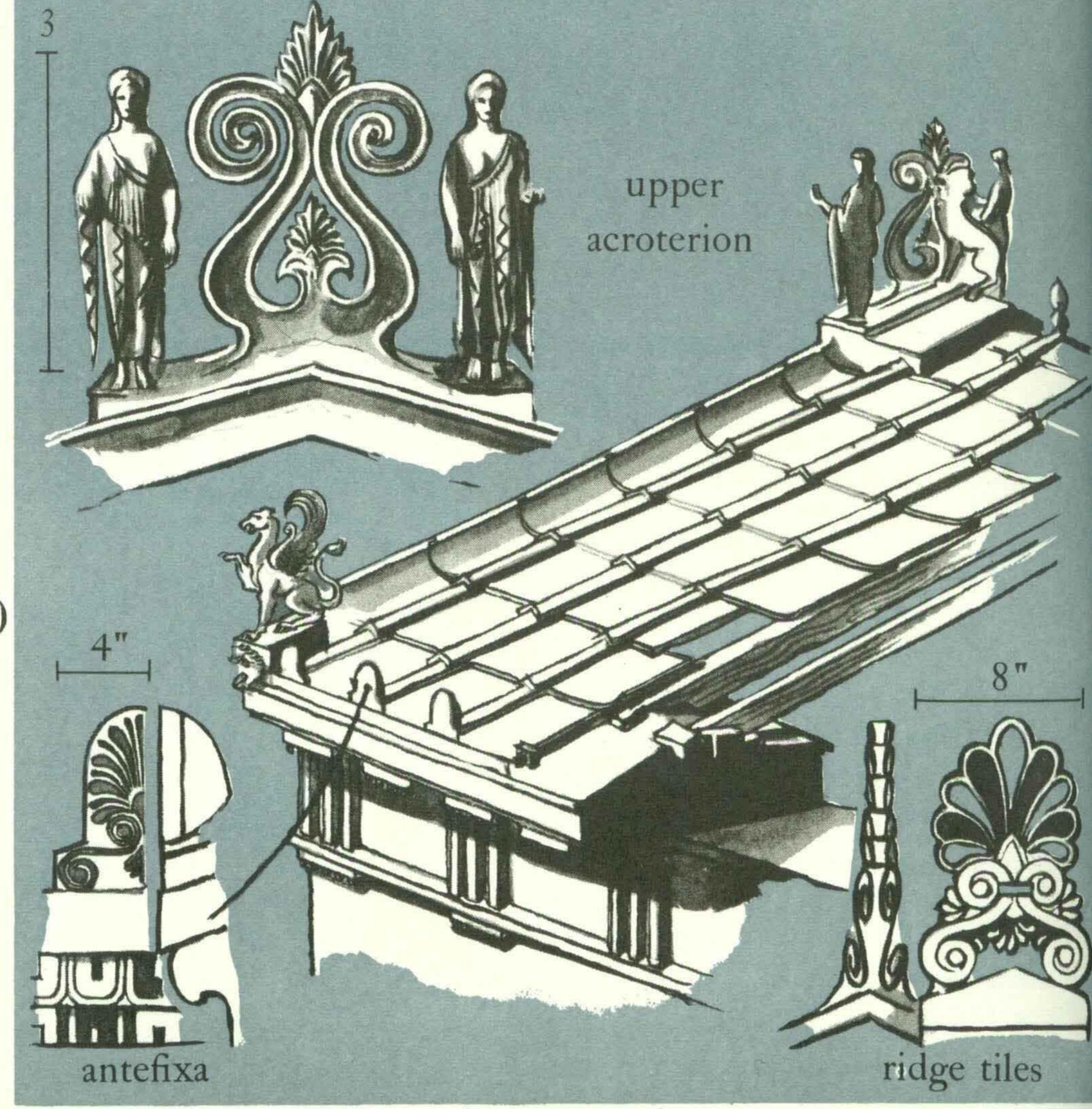


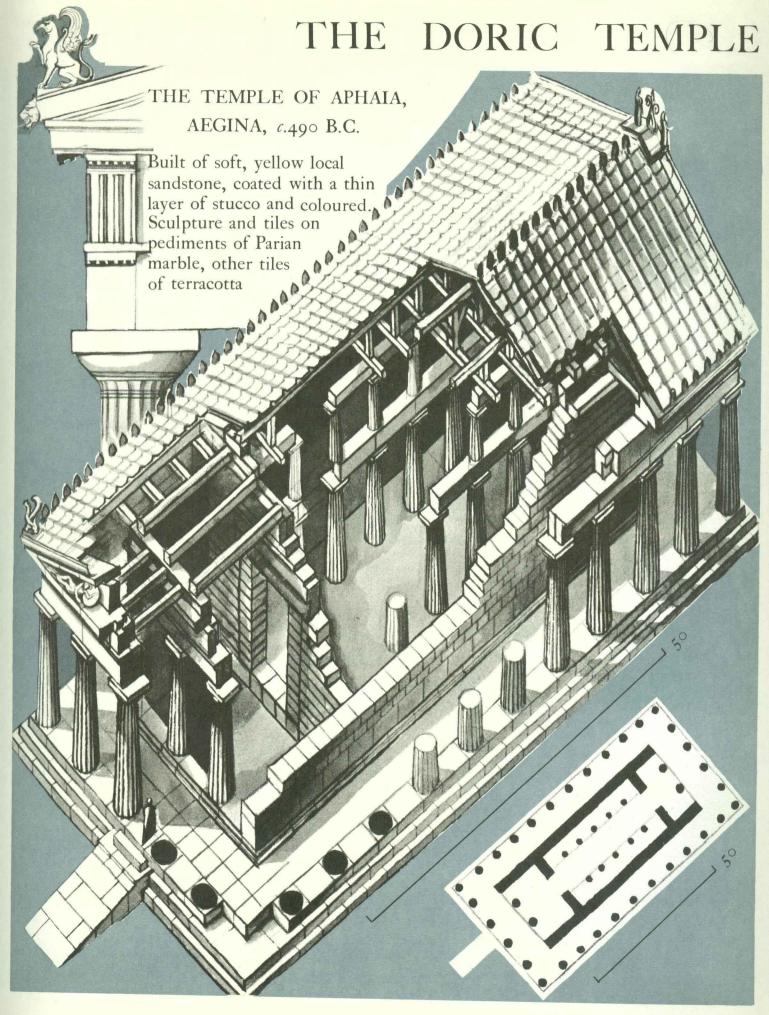


arrangement according to

Vitruvius (111, 2)







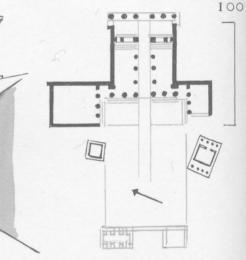
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ATHENS,

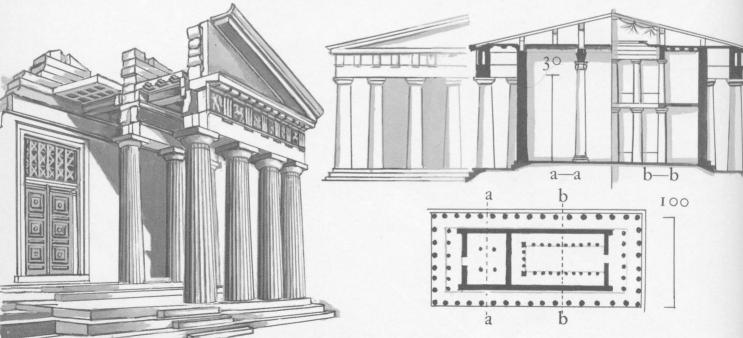
Between the Greeks' defeat of the Persians in 479 B.C. and the Peloponnesian War (431-404 B.C.)

Athens rose to her zenith; under the leadership of Pericles buildings were erected on the Acropolis:

- I The Parthenon
- 2 The Propylaea
- 3 The Erechtheum (restored)

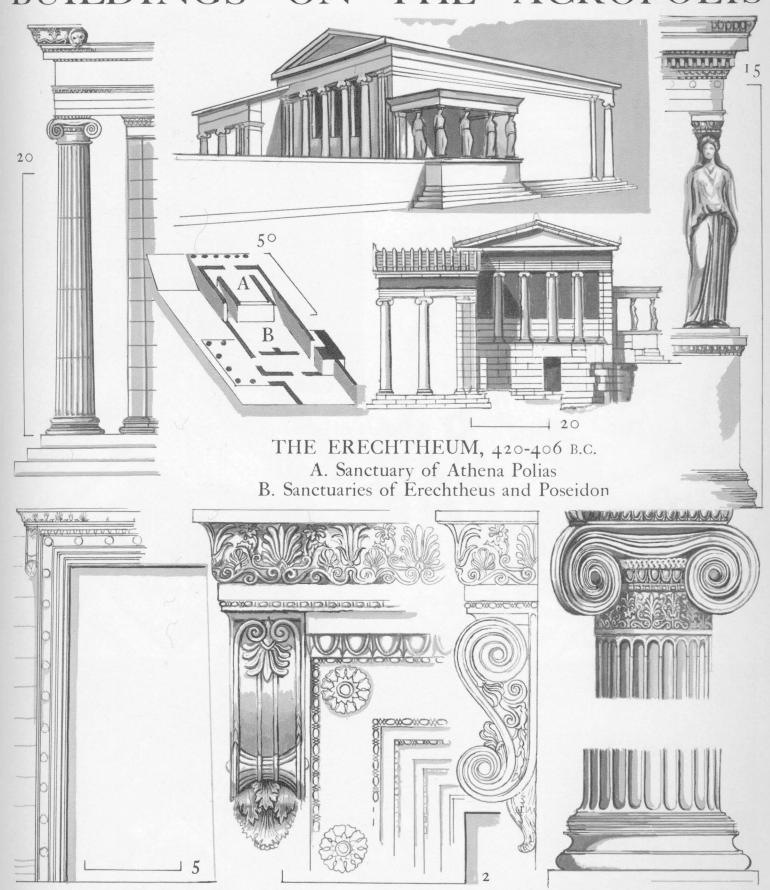


THE PROPYLAEA, entrance to the Acropolis, 437-432 B.C. Mnesicles, architect. Built of marble



THE PARTHENON, 447-432 B.C. Doric temple dedicated to Athena. Ictinus and Callicrates, architects; Phidias, master sculptor. Optical refinements p. 38

BUILDINGS ON THE ACROPOLIS

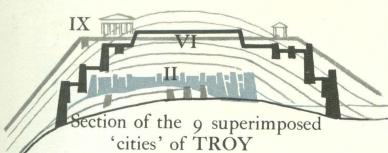


Possible architect Mnesicles. The caryatids and column capitals may have been designed by Callimachus, inventor of the Corinthian capital. Built on 4 levels, irregular in plan to preserve places sacred to Athens; built of white marble

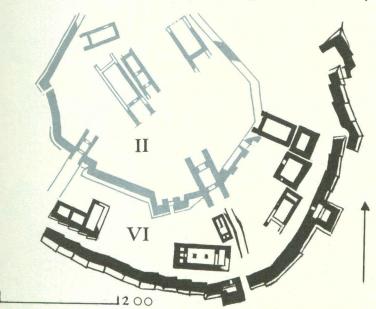
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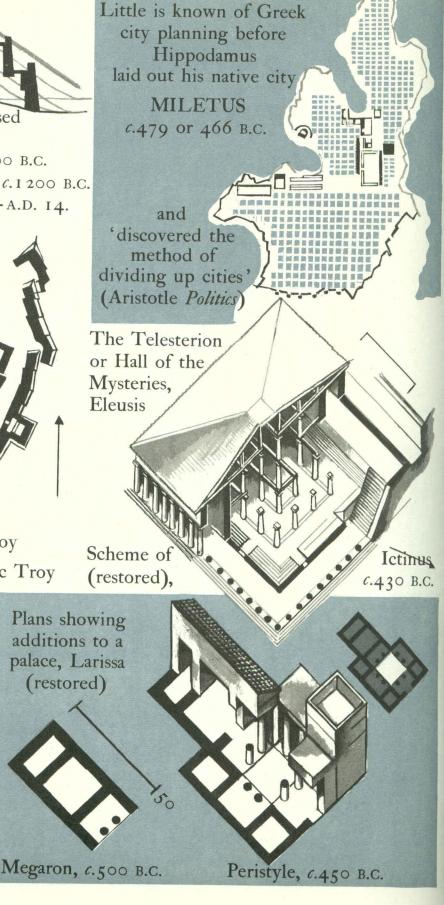


VI Homeric Troy, 1900 B.C.; sacked c.1200 B.C. IX The Roman acropolis, c.30 B.C.-A.D. 14.



Plan of selected buildings, Troy

II Prehistoric citadel VI Homeric Troy



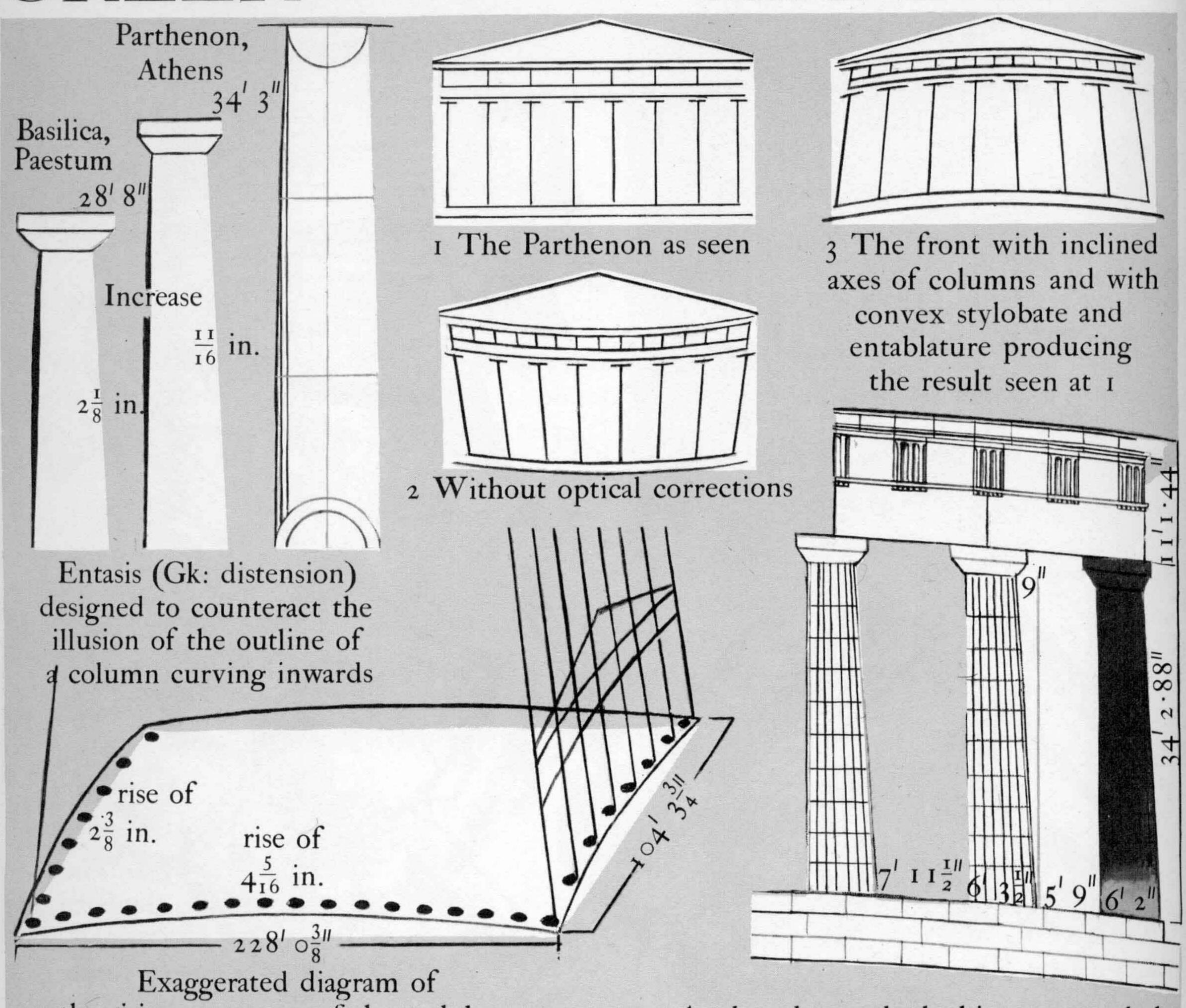
HELLENIC



BUILDINGS AND HOUSES PLANS, HELLENISTIC City state of Dynamic planning PRIENE, Upper citadel, store c.350 B.C.; PERGAMUM, houses about 5000 inhabitants C.241-159 B.C. Bouleuterion Agora or Council Hall, or market Miletus (restored), place, Priene tèmple (restored) c. 175-164 B.C. House, Priene, c. 350 B.C. House, Built of stone and sun-dried Built of stone c. 250 B.C. (restored) Introduction of the Peristyle bricks (restored)

GREK

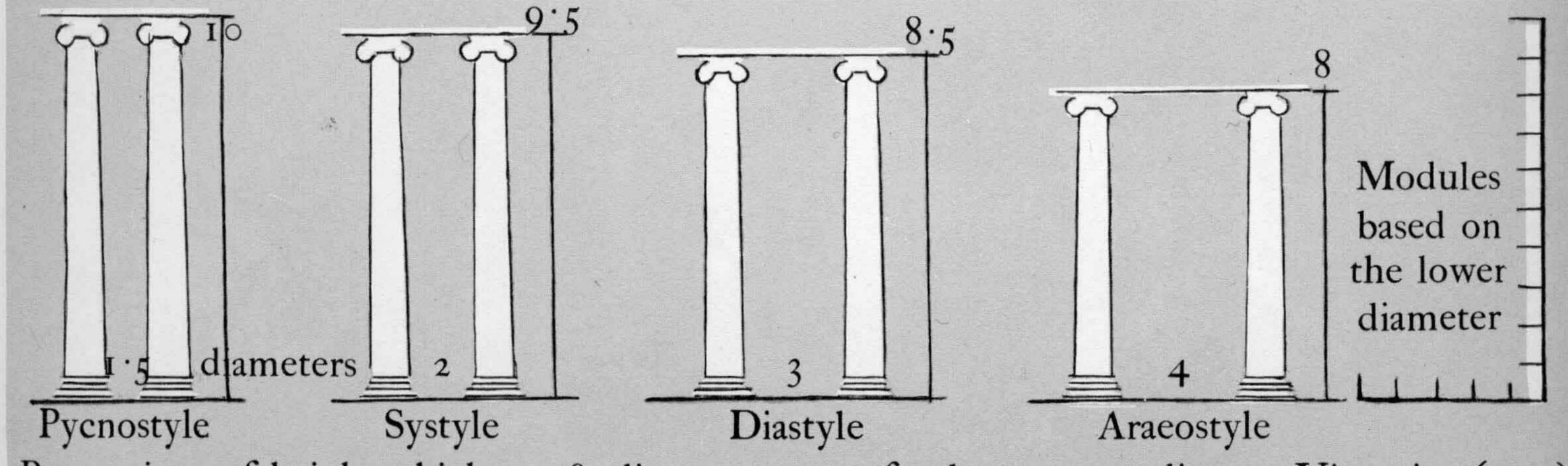
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Exaggerated diagram of the rising curvature of the stylobate and inward inclination of the columns

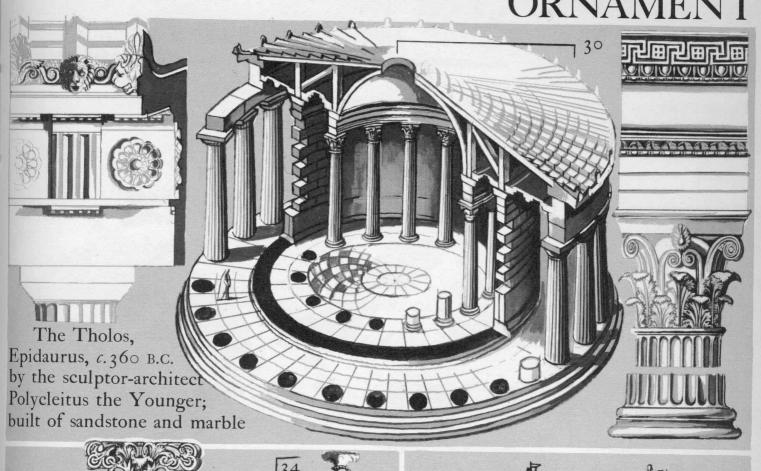
Angle columns look thinner seen dark against light and are thickened by 1½ in.

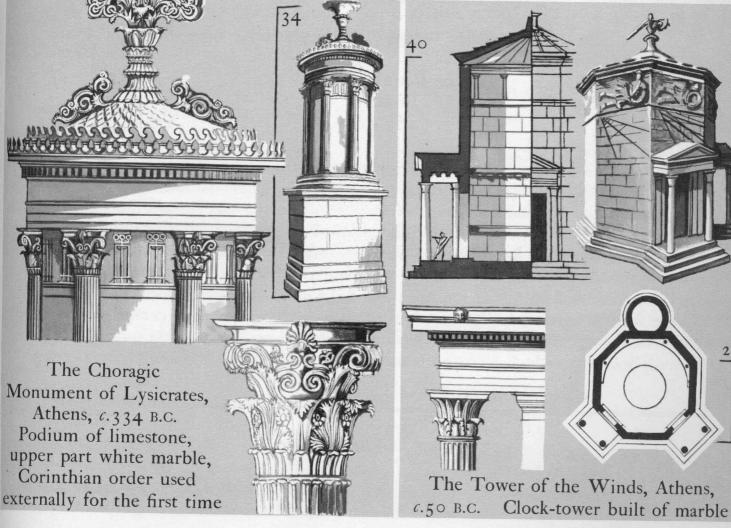
OPTICAL CORRECTIONS, THE PARTHENON, ATHENS



Proportions of height, thickness & distance apart of columns according to Vitruvius (111,3)

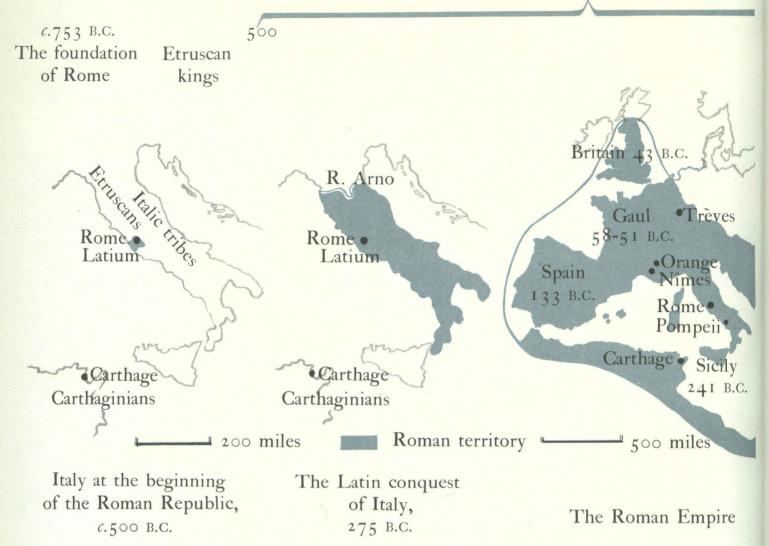
ORNAMENT





ROMAN

THE ROMAN REPUBLIC



Early Rome, with its Republican magistrates, town-council (senatus) and town-meetings (comitia), by a series of systematic conquests created an Empire round the Mediterranean consisting of different nationalities accepted as allies. The Roman Empire became a fusion of the practical Western idea of one universal society in which all men might live in conformity with Roman law and the Oriental conception of an Emperor-God with a throne-altar demanding a common worship and loyalty. This union between the West and the East was a continual source of weakness and led to the ultimate division of the Empire. The Romans built roads and bridges for swift communication, military camps with a simple set plan (later incorporated in many city-plans) for speed of construction, and government and civic buildings, which were both useful and symbolic of Roman law and order.

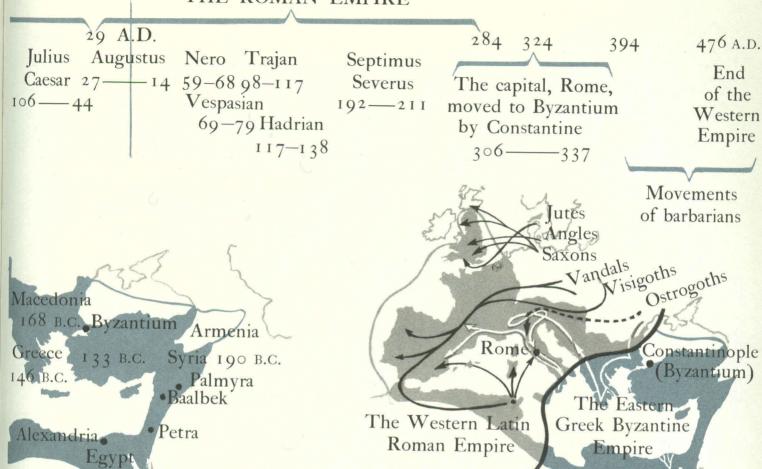
Greek Hellenic Period

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429/8 — Plato — 347
384 Aristotle 322
342-Epicurus-270
326? - Zeno - 264? (Stoicism)

INTRODUCTION

THE ROMAN EMPIRE



During the Republic kiln-baked bricks and stone blocks with or without mortar were used in building. The invention of concrete revolutionised construction in the Empire. Concrete was used with a facing for protection and a surface finish, & there is a sharp distinction between the art of the engineer constructing arches, vaults and domes and the applied art of decoration with columns and pilasters, marbles and mosaics.

30 B.C

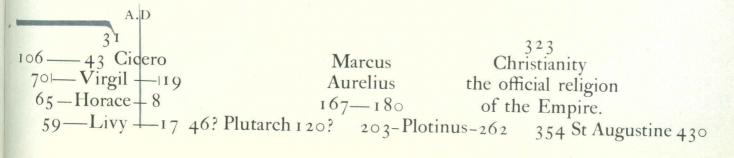
27 B.C. — A.D. 324

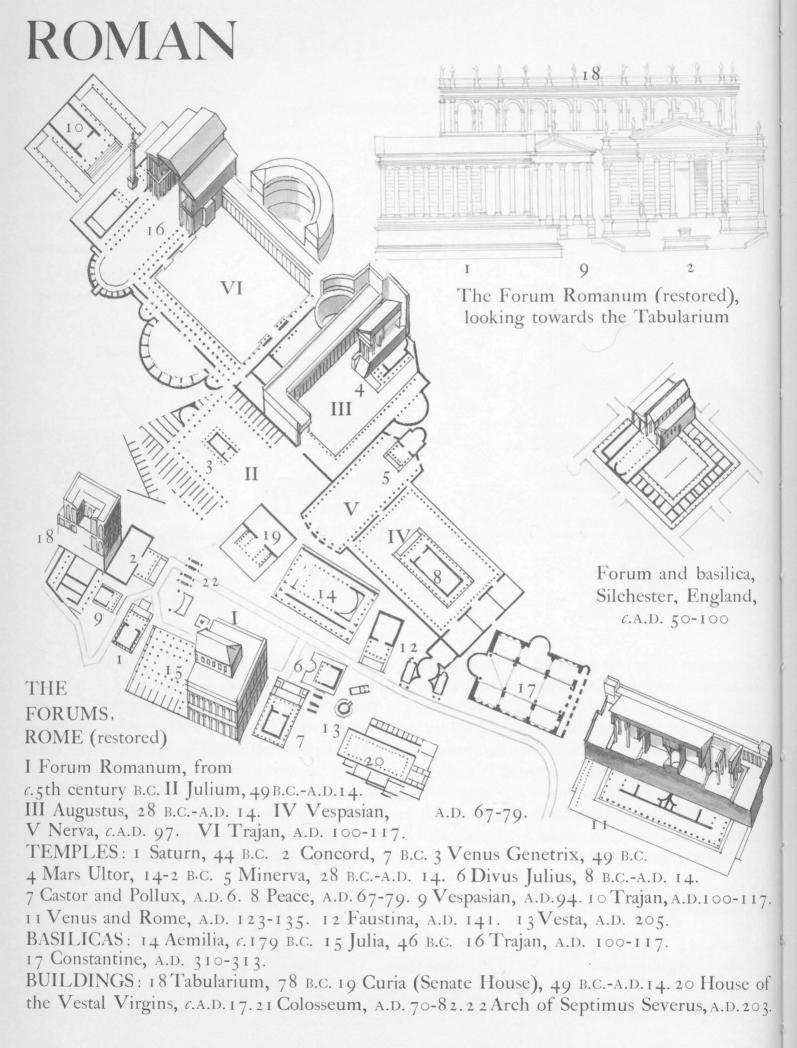


The Division of the Empire

394 A.D.

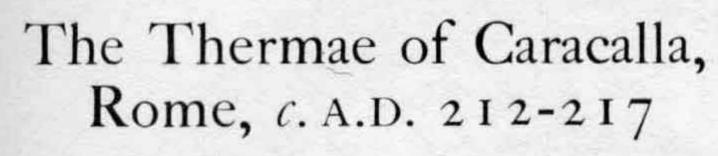
The Romans invented all possible variations in the plans of buildings which were copied by later architects. The Ten Books on Architecture by Marcus Vitruvius Pollio, a Roman architect and engineer who lived in the 1st century B.C. was widely read in the Renaissance and later.





BUILDINGS AND PLANS, ROME

Drawn to the same scale



Stands on a platform 20 ft high containing store-rooms, furnaces, hypocausts and hot-air ducts; room for more than 1600 bathers

1 Main entrance

2 Apodyteria—undressing rooms

3 Tepidarium—tepid bath

4 Calidarium—hot-air bath

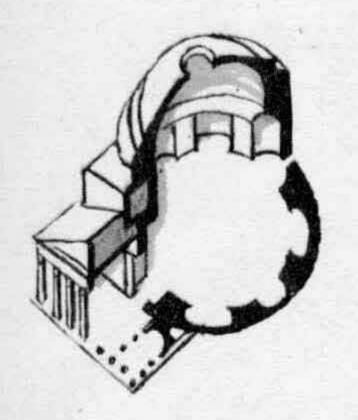
5 Warm baths

6 Hot baths

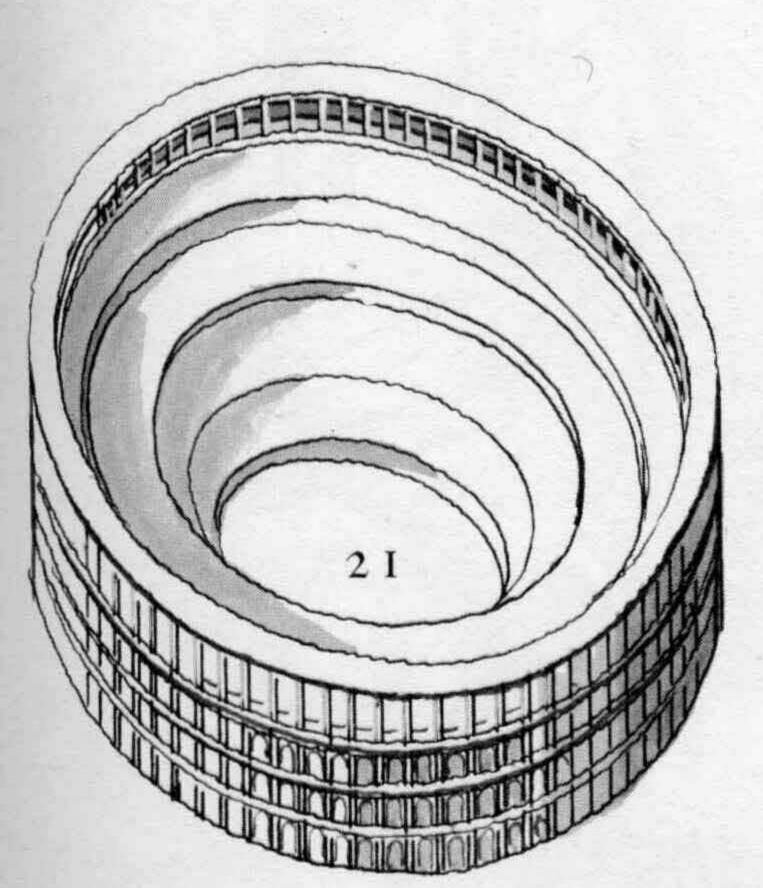
7 Frigidarium open-air cold bath

8 Palaestra, peristyles

9 Lecture halls and libraries



The Pantheon, Rome, A.D. 120-124



Palaces of the Emperors on the Palatine Hill, Rome, A.D. 3-212

I Palace of Augustus,

2 Palace of Domitian,

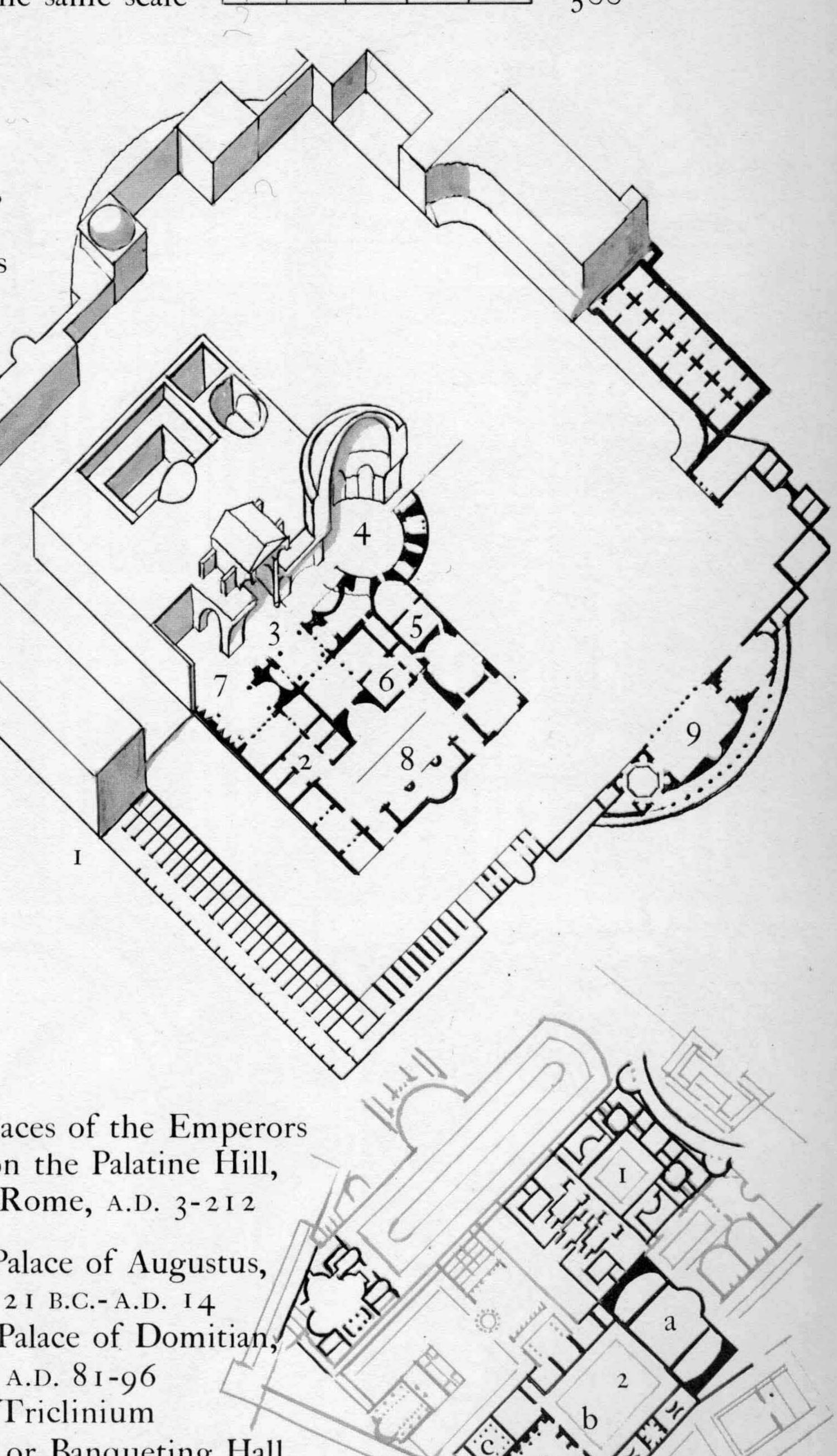
a. Triclinium or Banqueting Hall.

b. Peristyle.

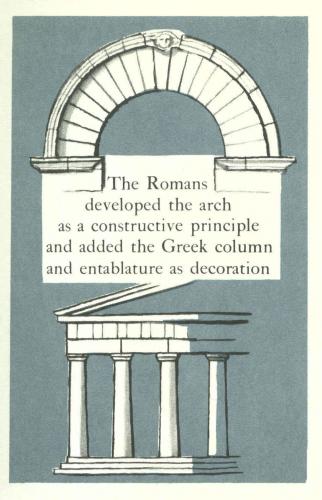
c. Temple of household gods.

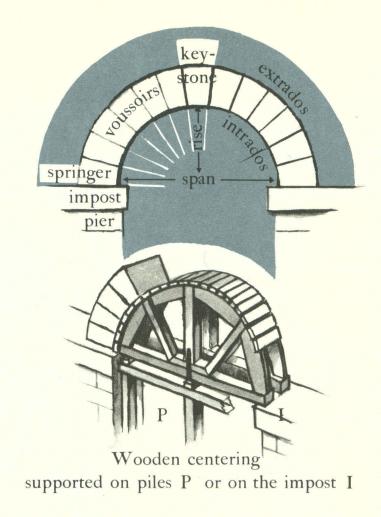
d. Basilica or Hall of Justice.

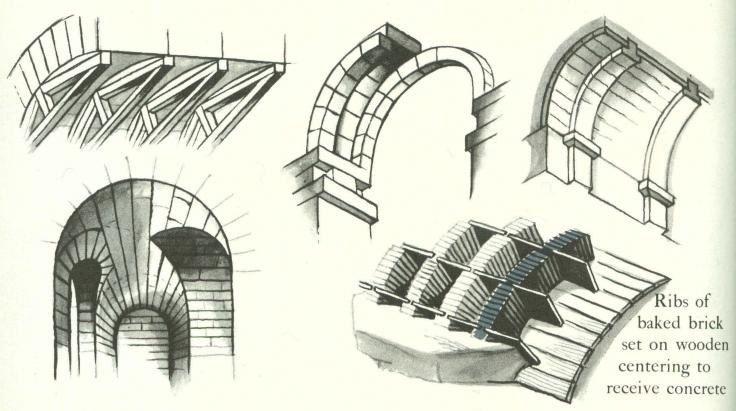
e. Tablinum or Throne Room



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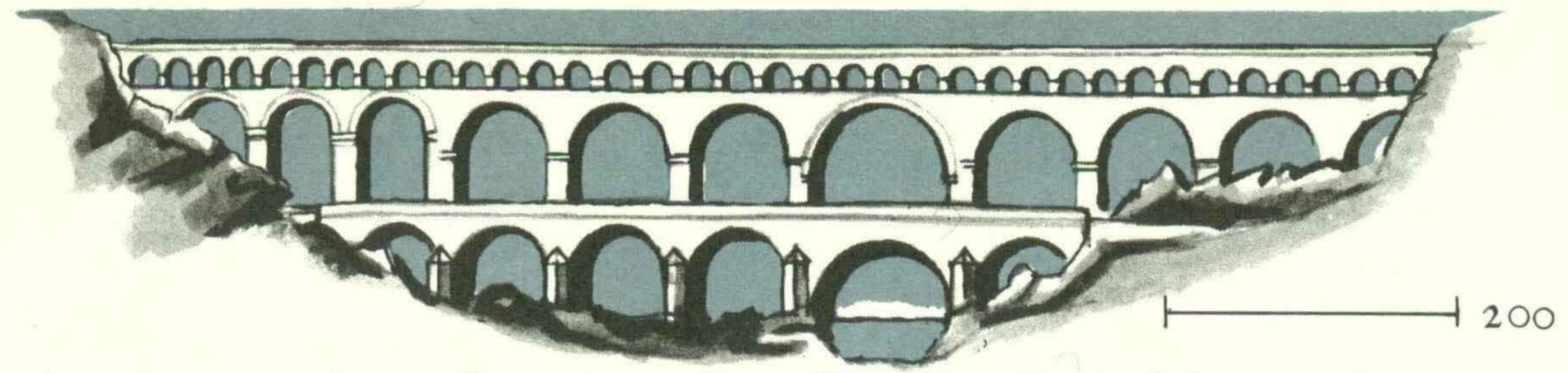




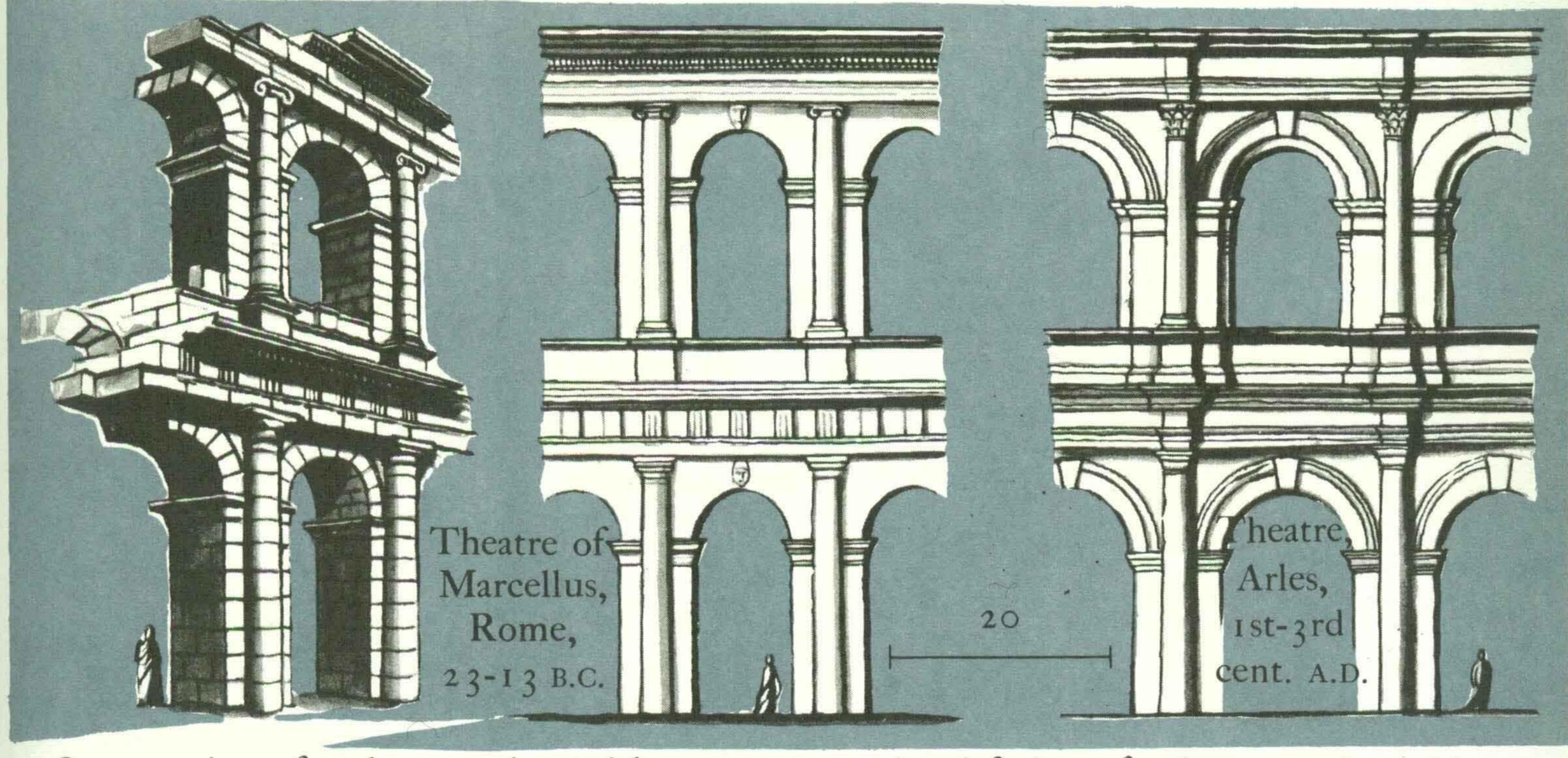


Methods of constructing stone and concrete vaults

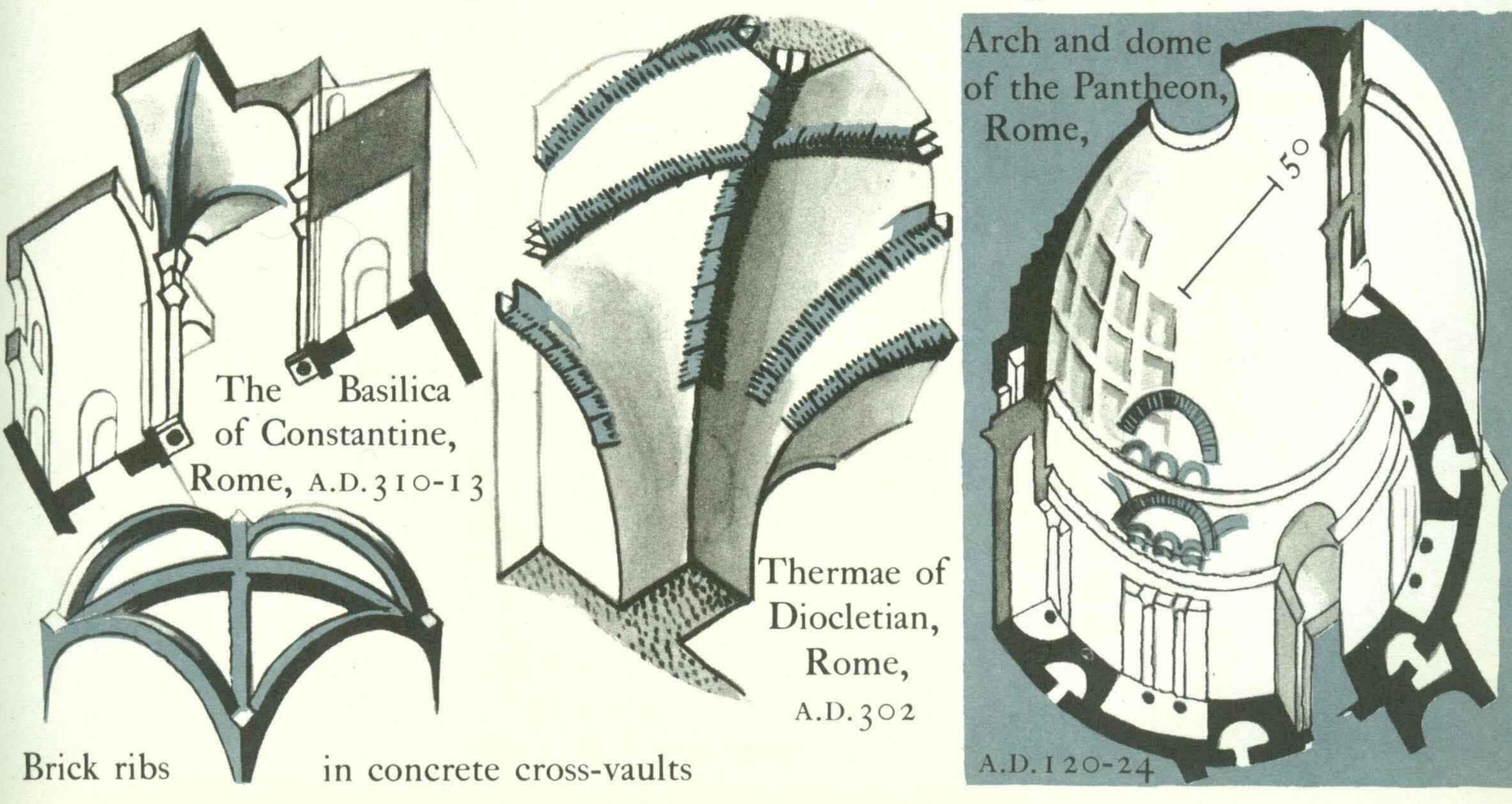
THE ARCH



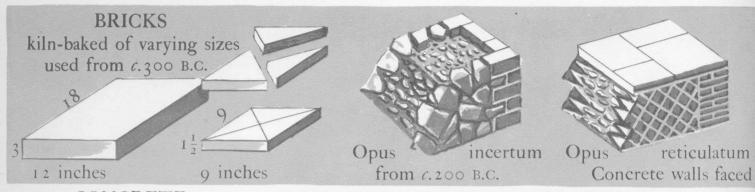
Arches supported on piers: Aqueduct, Pont du Gard, Nîmes, c.a.d. 150



Construction of arches on piers with non-constructional facing of columns and entablature



ROMAN

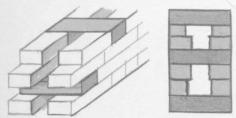


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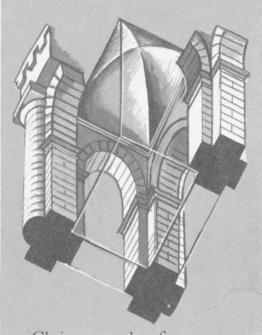
used by the Romans from the 2nd century B.C., consisting of sand, gravel, pebbles, chippings of stone, mixed with a cement of lime and water and spread over a temporary wooden or permanent brick centering, to solidify into the required shape -arch, vault or dome. The dead weight rested upon supporting walls or piers without exerting an outward thrust. Pozzolana. a volcanic rock found near Rome, made a concrete of great hardness and durability. Concrete surfaces were faced with stucco, brick or marble

MASONRY

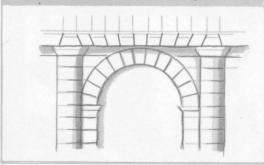
for protection and finish.

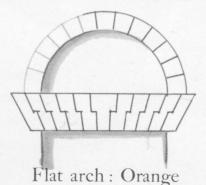


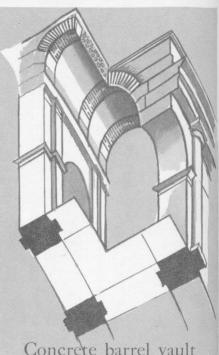
The Romans copied the Greek technique, building courses of dressed blocks, held by through stones laid dry without mortar or with iron cramps and dowels set in molten lead. The space between the courses was left empty or filled with undressed stones, earth or concrete.



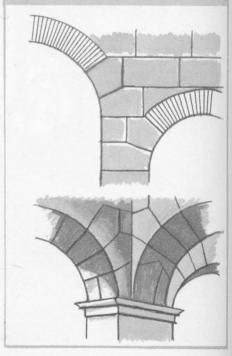
Cloister vault of concrete supported on cruciform piers Tabularium, Rome, 78 B.C.



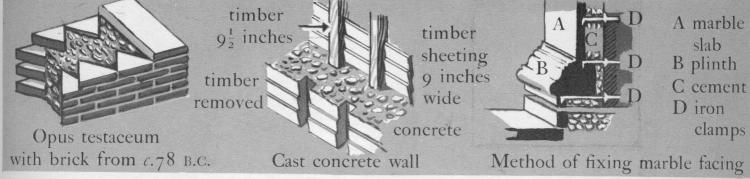


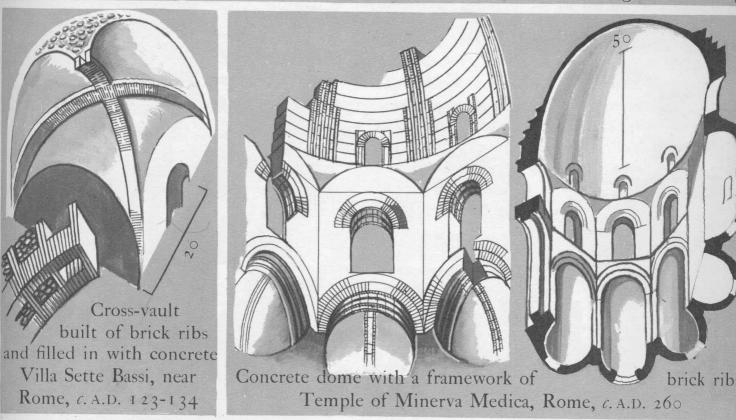


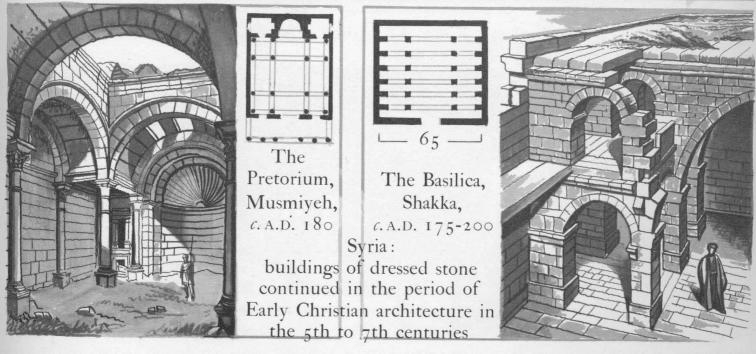
Concrete barrel vault The Colosseum, Rome, A.D. 70-82



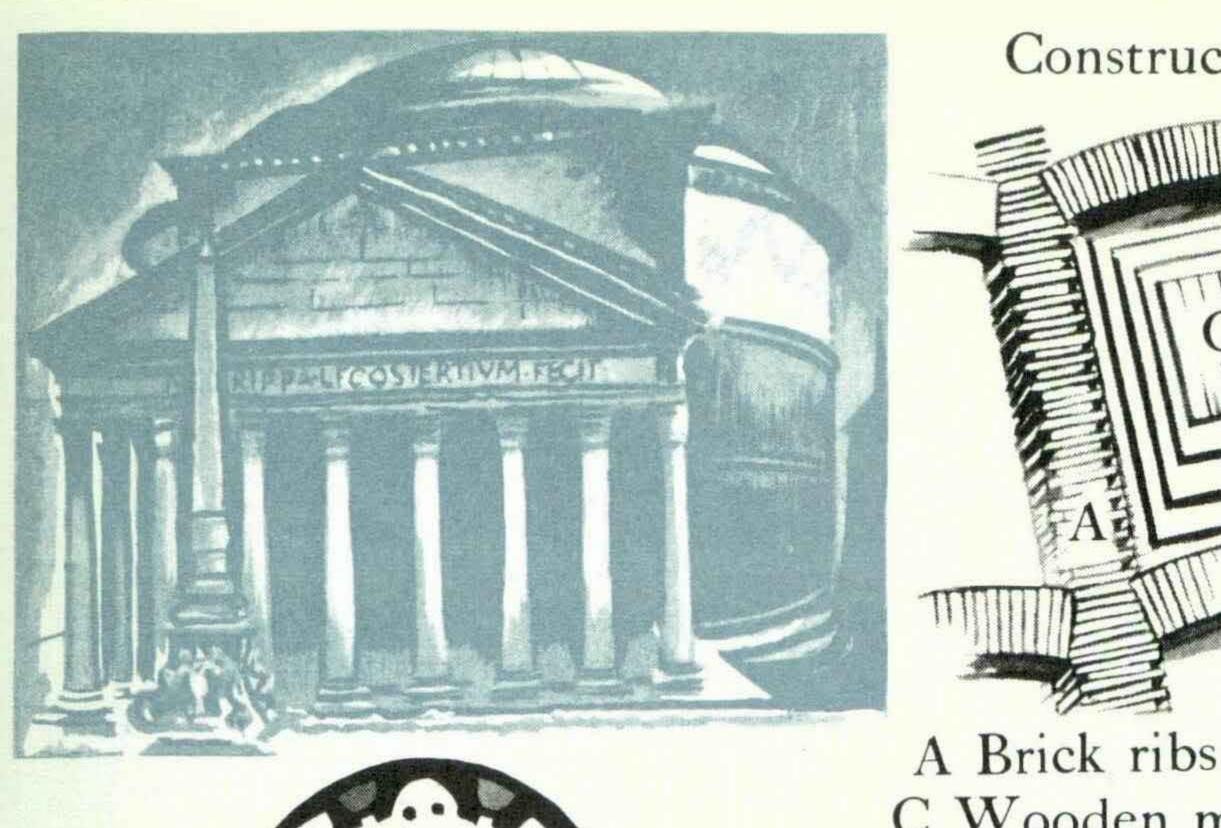
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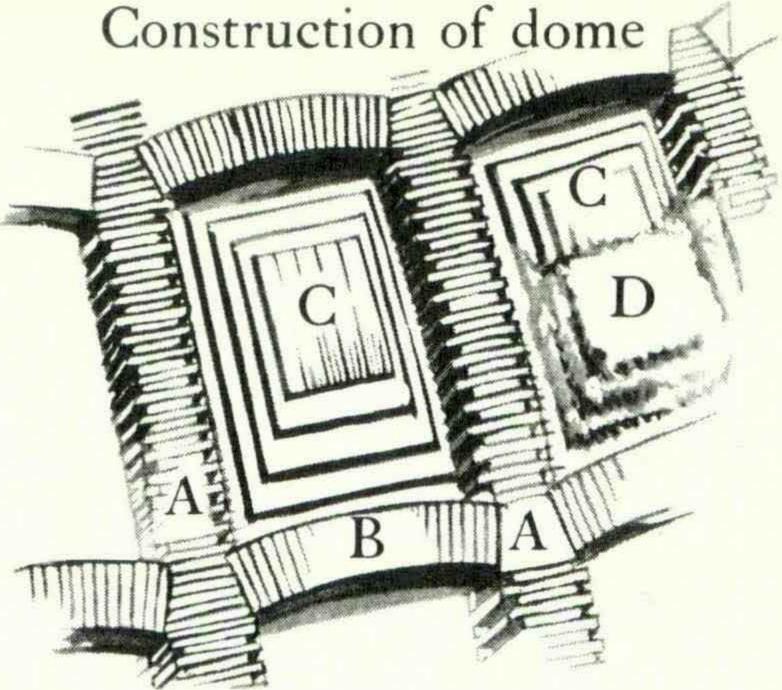




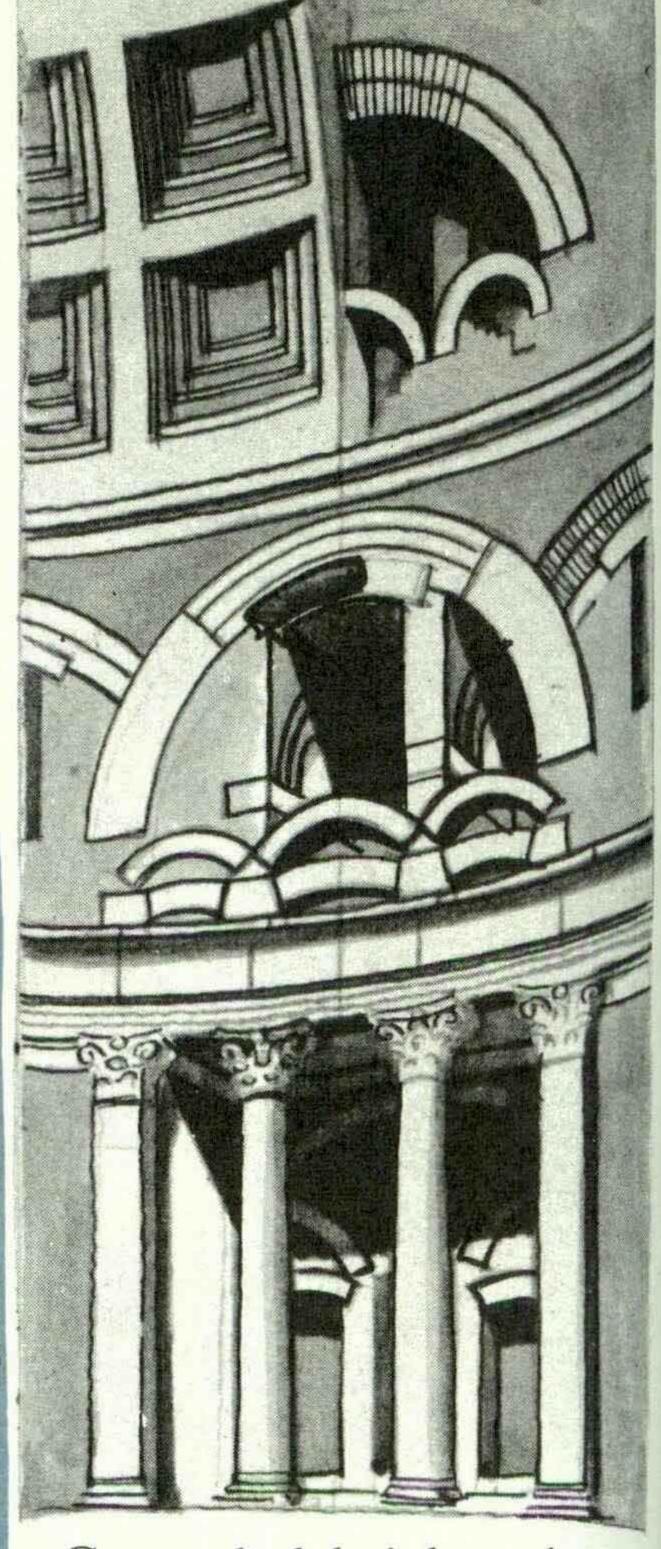


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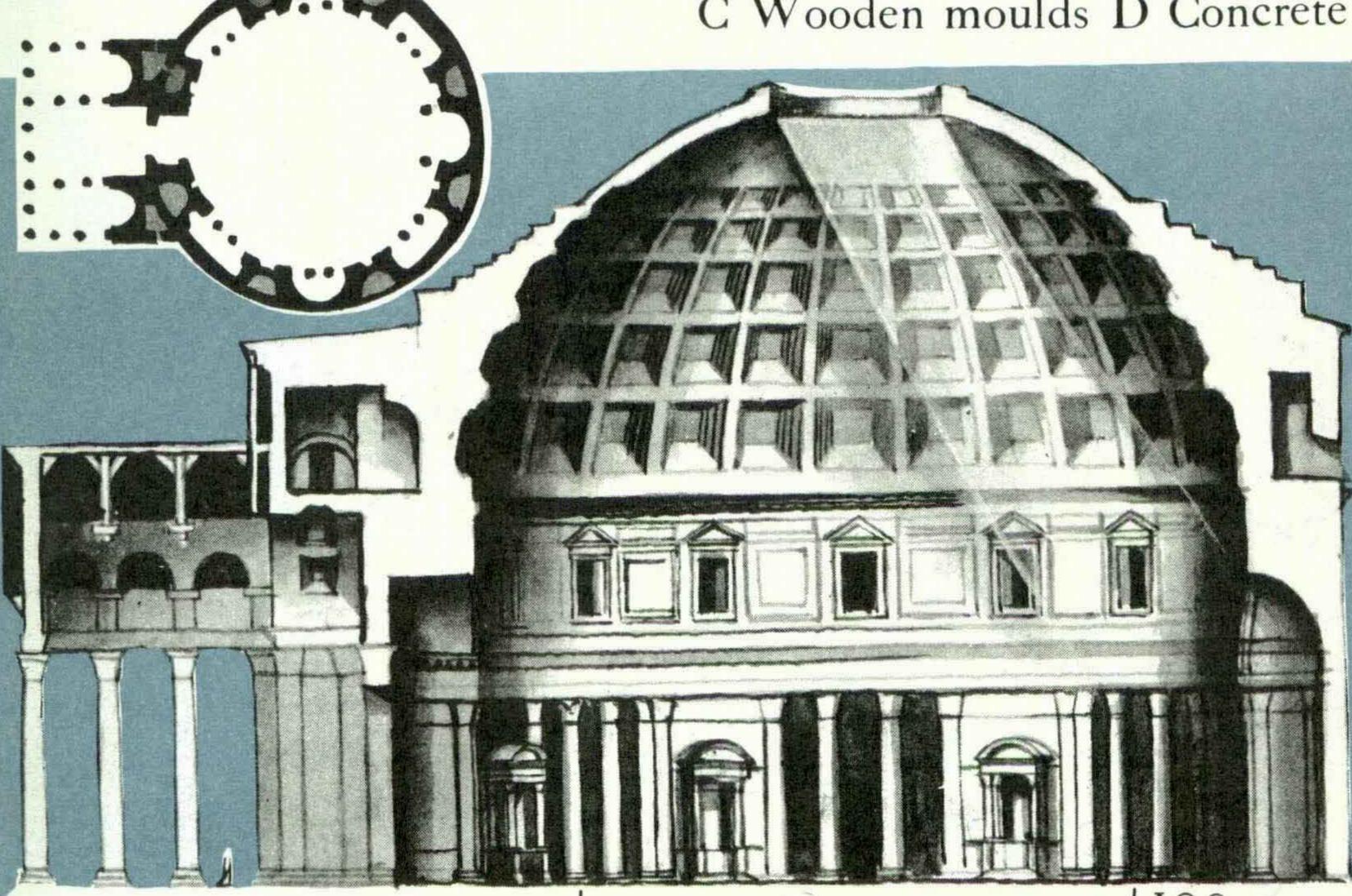




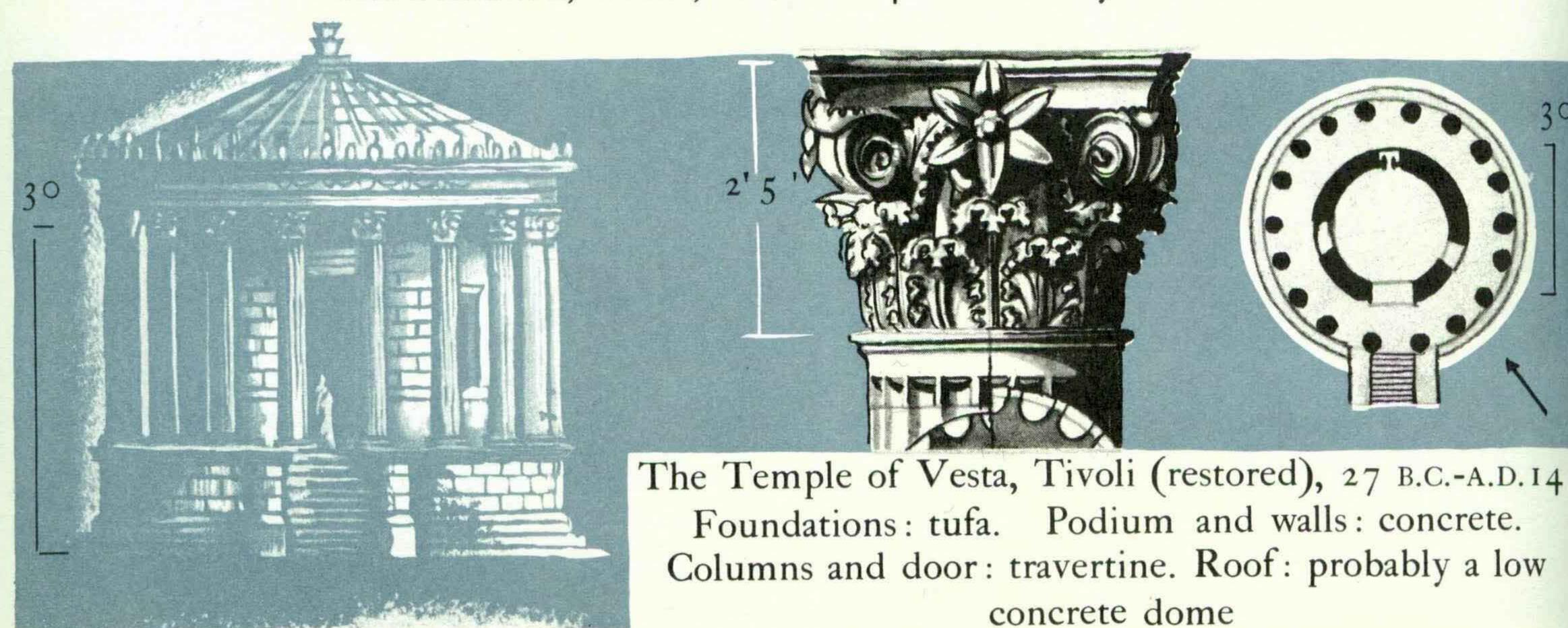
A Brick ribs B Brick Arches C Wooden moulds D Concrete



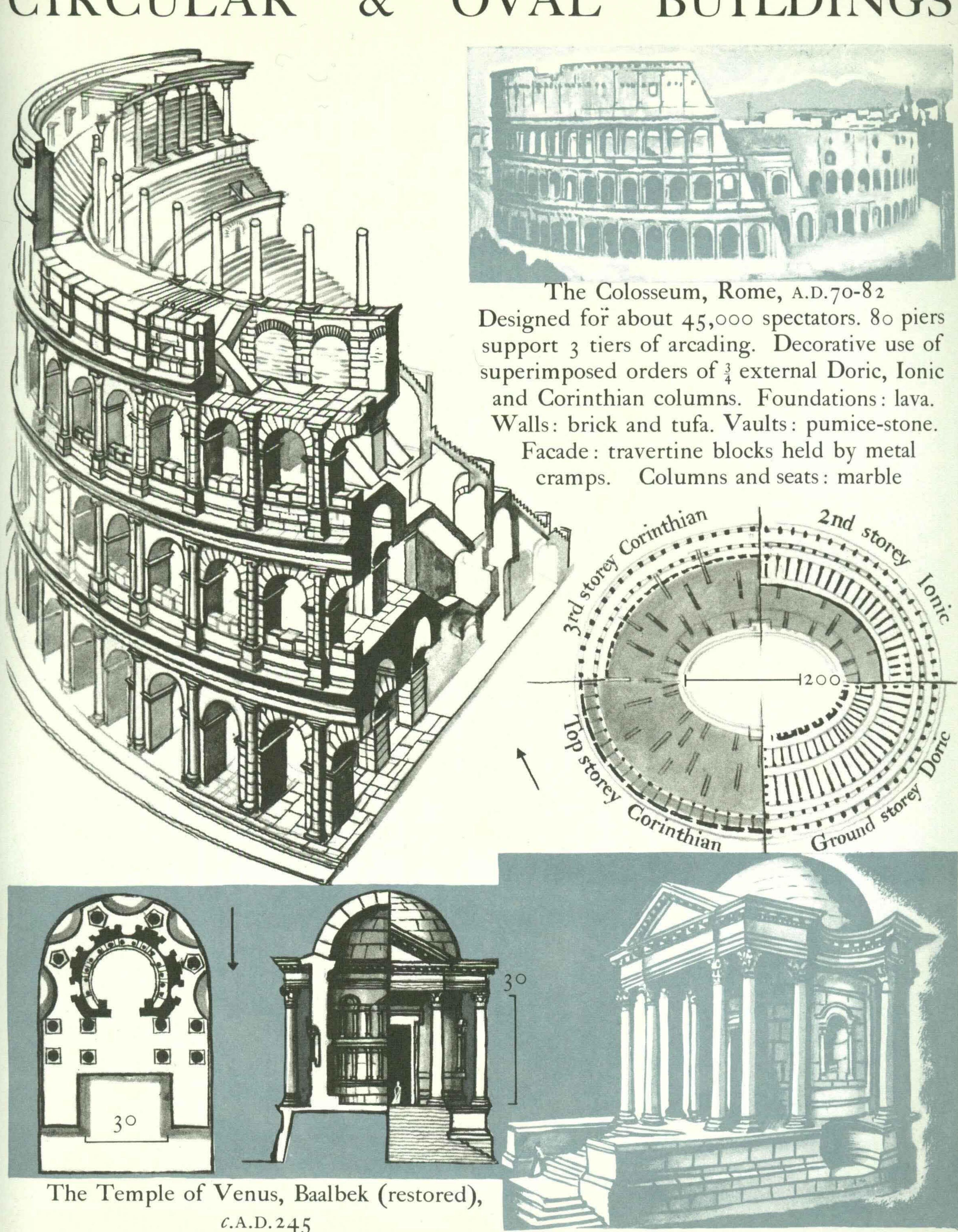
Concealed brick arches link together 8 massive brick piers supporting the dome



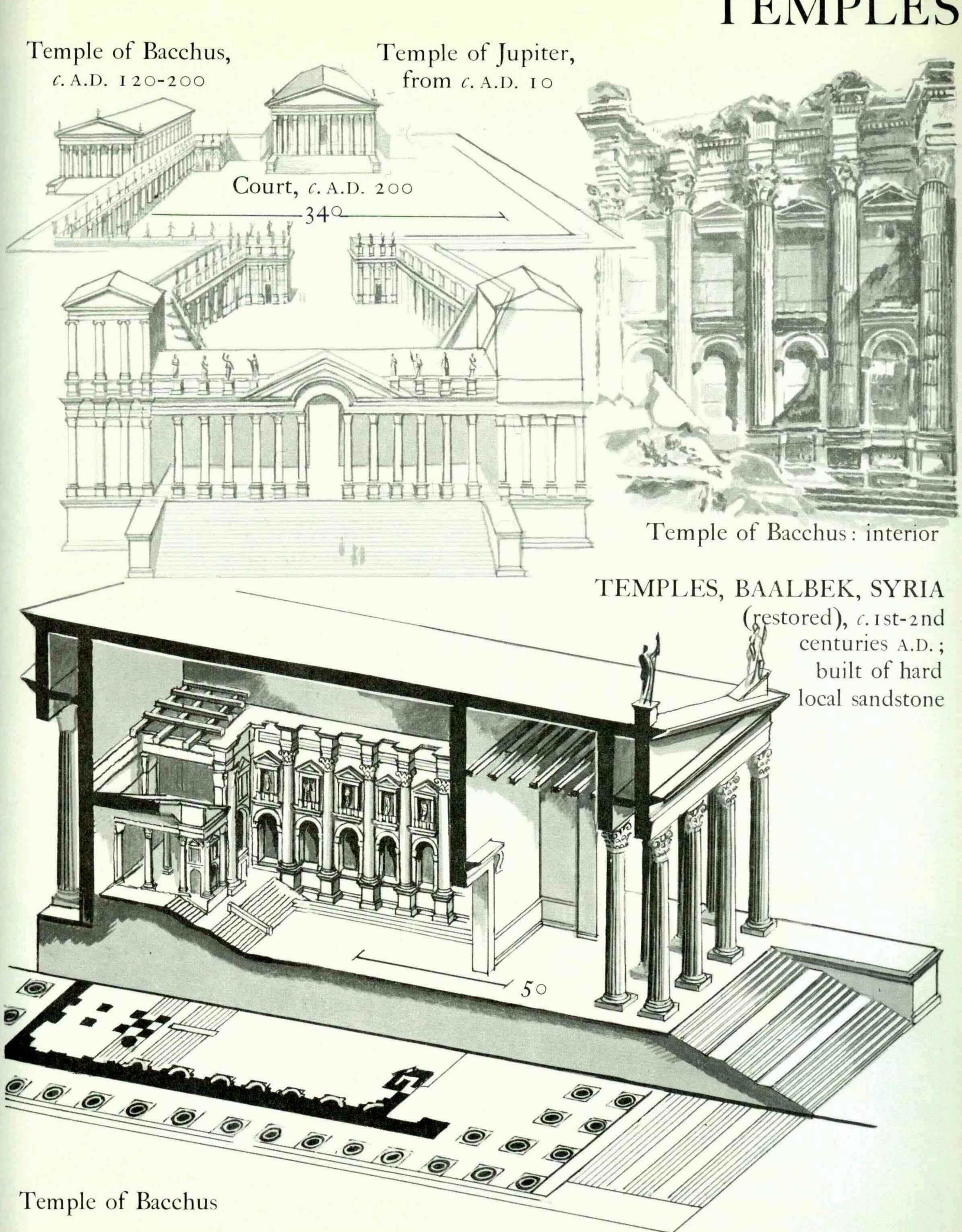
The Pantheon, Rome, A.D. 120-24. Erected by Hadrian



CIRCULAR & OVAL BUILDINGS



TEMPLES



GREK

THEATRE

406 B.C.), who also introduced painted

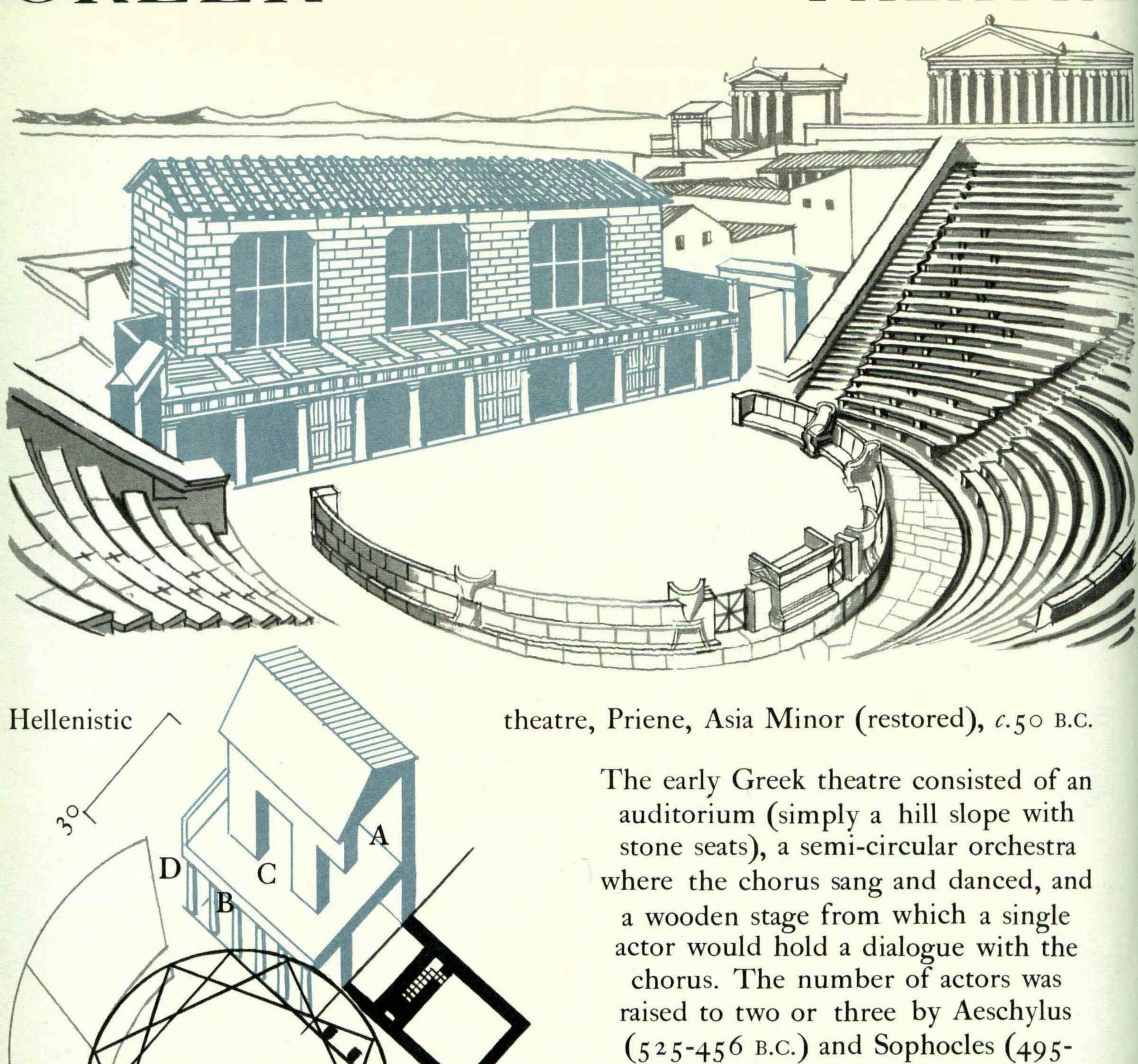
scenery and a dressing hut or skene. In

the 4th century B.C. a wooden skene A

was erected with a proscenium B

having a row of columns, usually Doric,

or open passage-ways D.

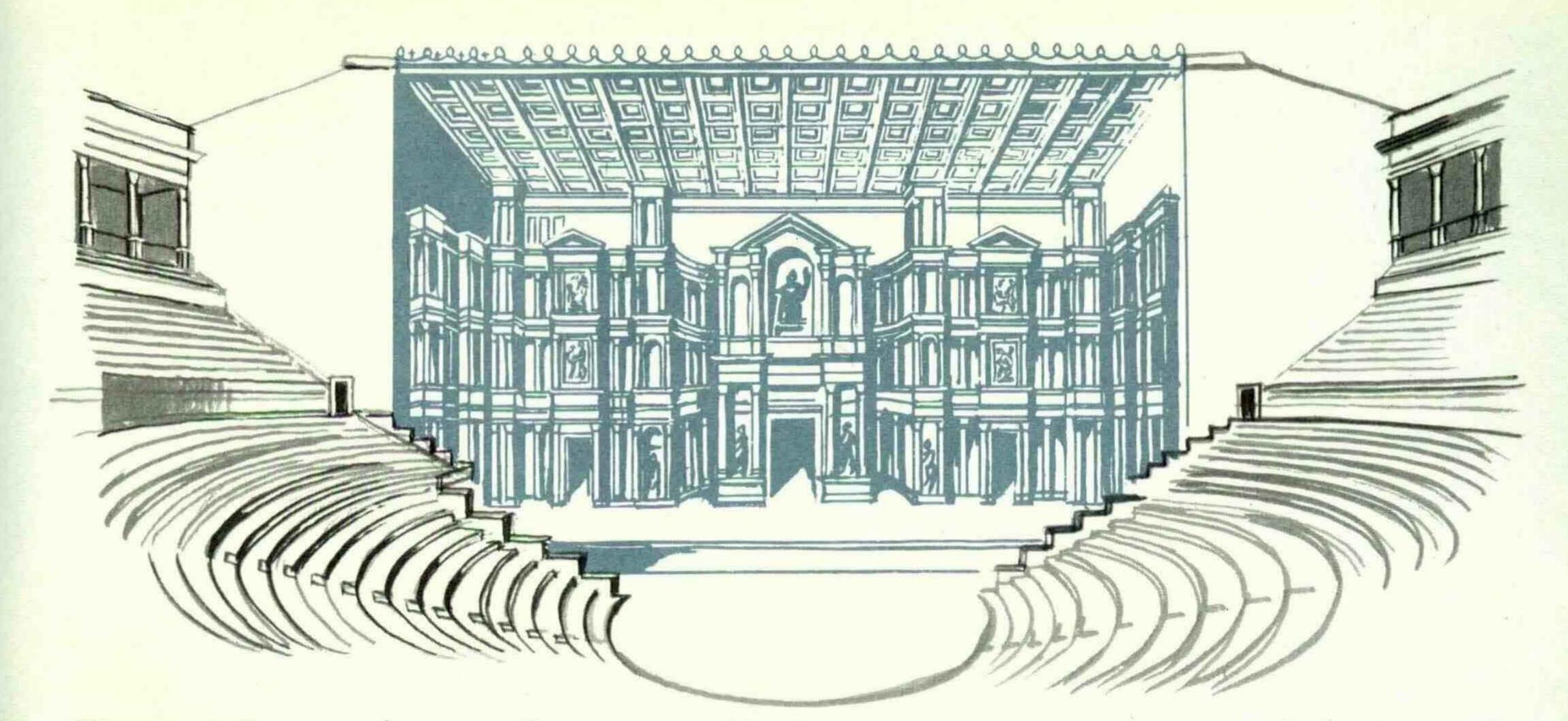


8-12 ft from the skene wall supporting a stage of planks called the logeion or speaking-place C. Three doors in the skene wall were for entrances and exits of actors. At the two ends of the proscenium were the parodoi

Plan of a Greek theatre based on 3 squares within the orchestra circle (Vitruvius, v.7)

ROMAN

THEATRE



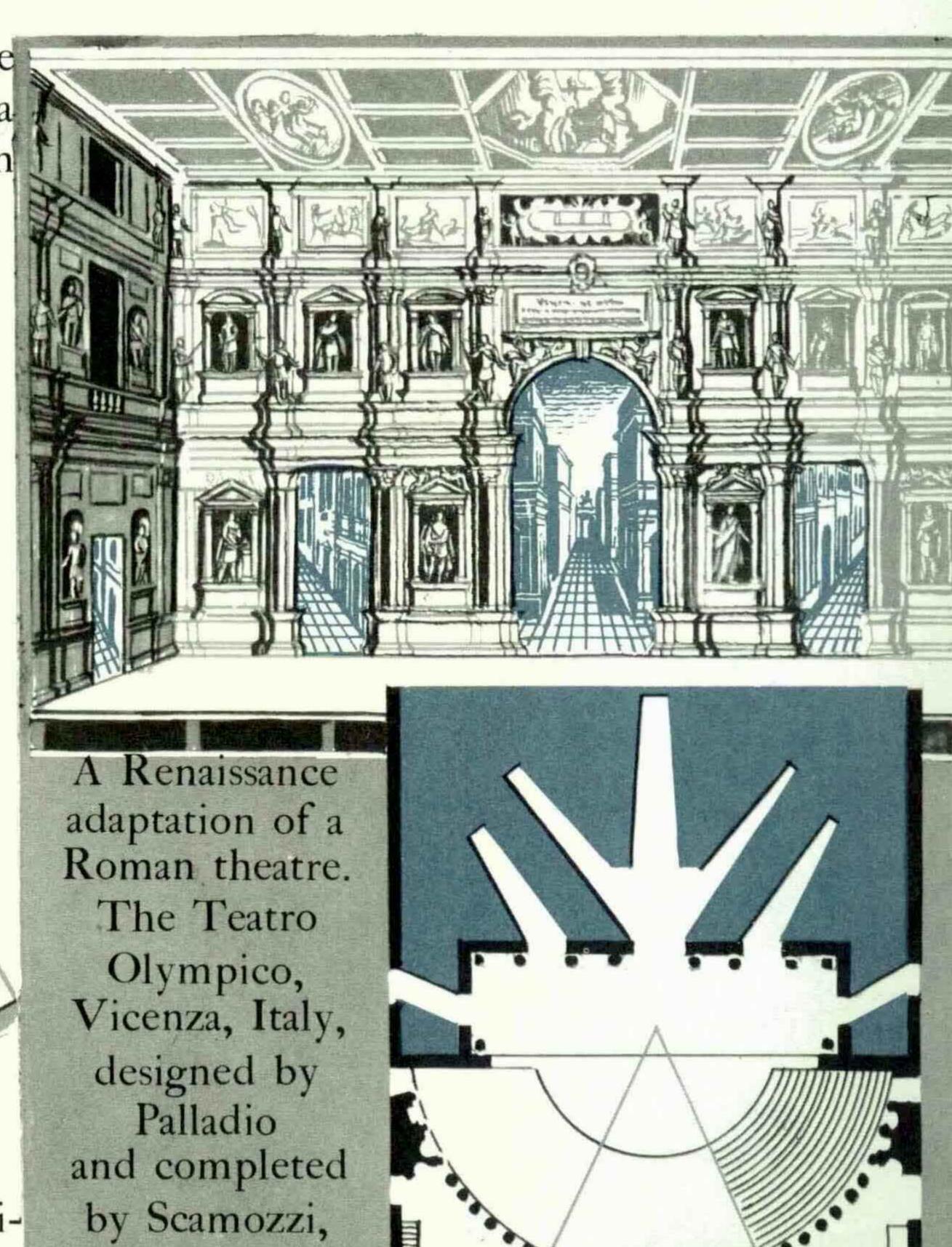
The Theatre, Orange (restored), c.A.D.50. Designed to seat 7000. Stage 5 ft high, 23 ft deep. Built up on stone and concrete piers.

A.D. 1584

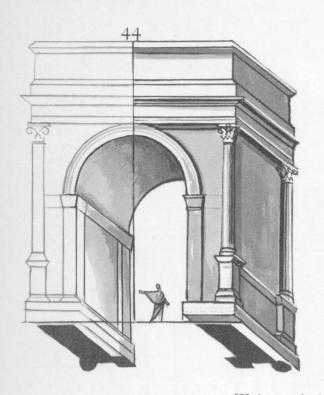
A Semi-circular cavea or auditorium

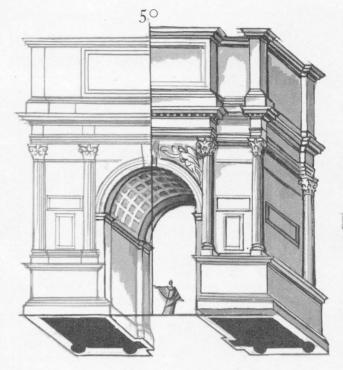
B Proscenium replaced by a frons scaenae C Covered passages—vomitoria Introduction of a stage curtain

Plan of a Roman theatre based on 4 equilateral triangles in a circle (Vitruvius v,6)



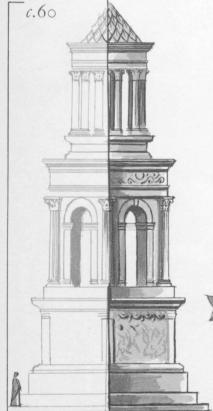
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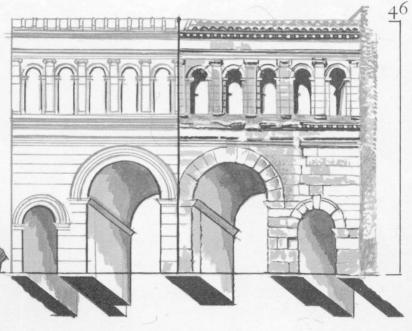


Arch of Augustus, Susa, Piedmont, c. A.D. 8

Triumphal Arches with one opening sa,
Arch of Titus, Rome, A.D. 70
Earliest use of the Composite order.



Tomb of the Julii, Provence, S. Remy, c. 30 B.C.-A.D. 14

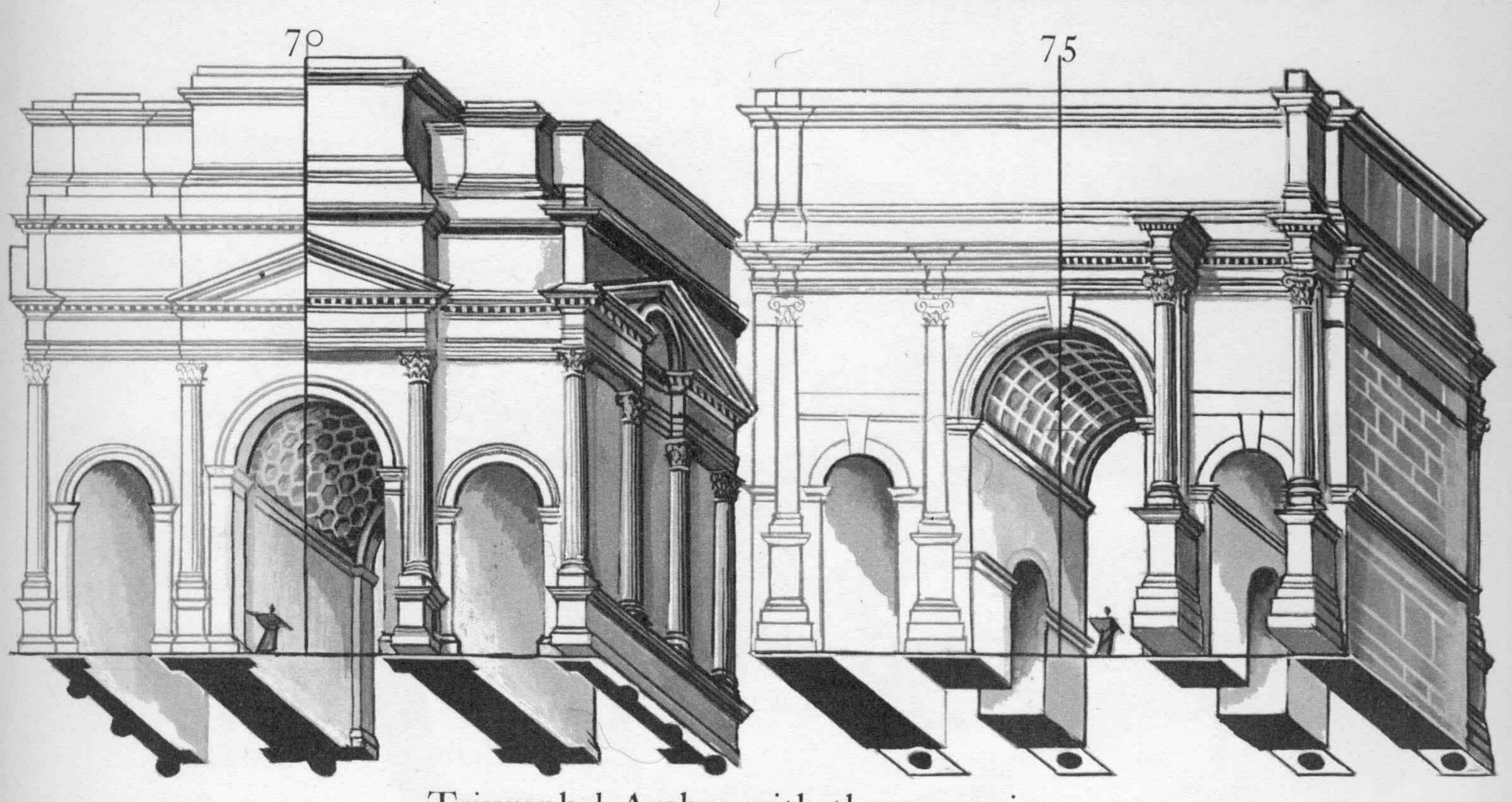


Town gateway with four archways
The Porte S. André, Augustodonum (Autun).
An arcaded gallery with Ionic pilasters creates
an antiphonal response with the rise and fall
of the large and small arches below



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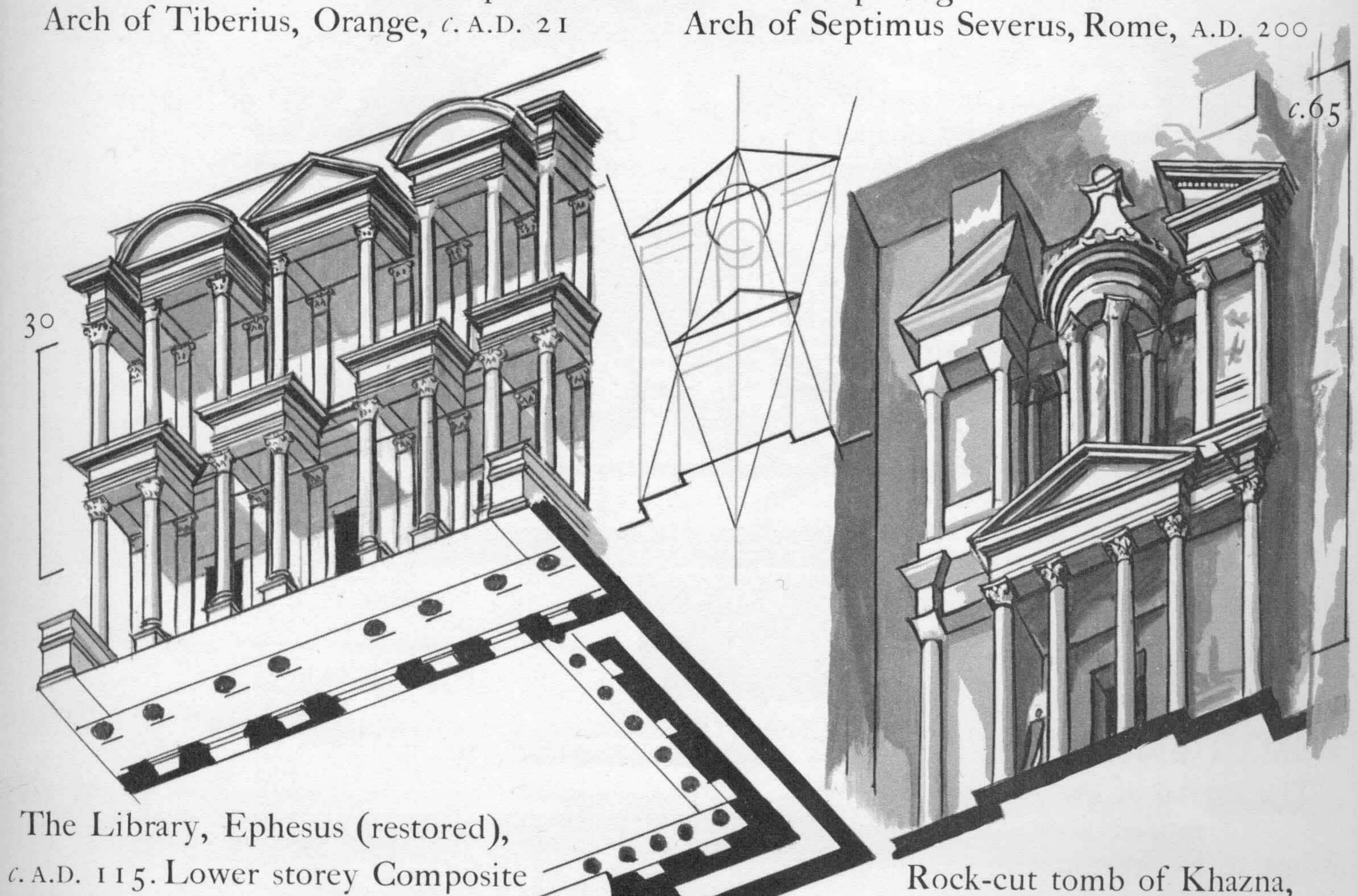
ARCHES AND MONUMENTS



Triumphal Arches with three openings. Arch of Septimus Severus, Rome, A.D. 200

Petra, c. A.D. 120.

One of the 25 rock-cut façades



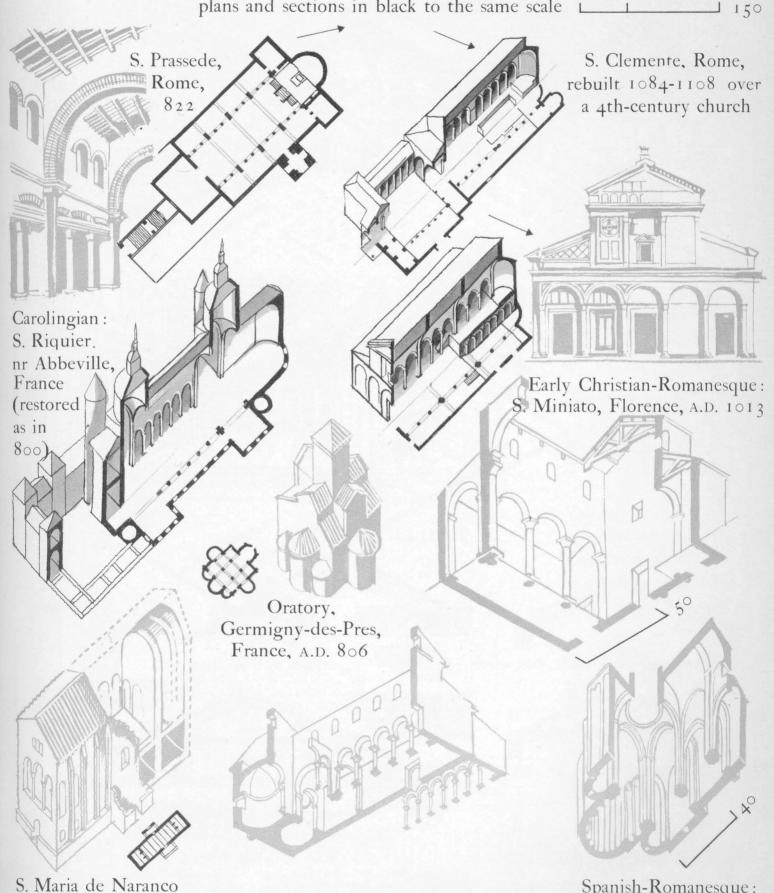
and upper storey Corinthian order,

both having smooth shafts

EARLY CHRISTIAN Stephano Rotondo Rome (restored), A.D. 470 S. Apollinare in Classe, Ravenna, A.D. 534-539 Basilican church of S. Peter, Rome (restored), A.D. 330. atrilia Pulled down in the 15th century Syria, 5th-6th centuries: churches built of large stone blocks and Church, Roueiha (restored), timber roofs c. 6th century A.D. Baptistery of Constantine, S. Costanza, Rome, Rome, A.D. 430-440 A.D. 330 Visigothic before the Moslem invasion, with horse-shoe arch: S. Juan de Baños, Cerrato, Spain, c. A.D. 500-713

COMPARATIVE PLANS

plans and sections in black to the same scale ______ 150

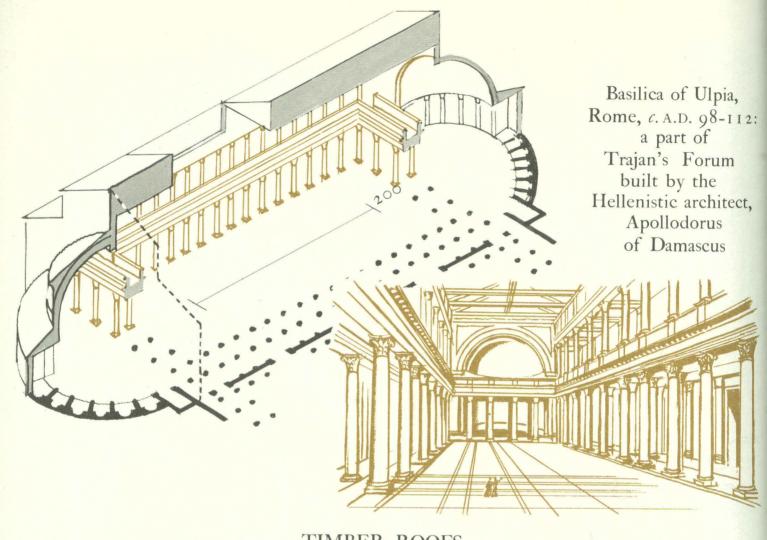


Asturia, Spain, A.D. 824-840

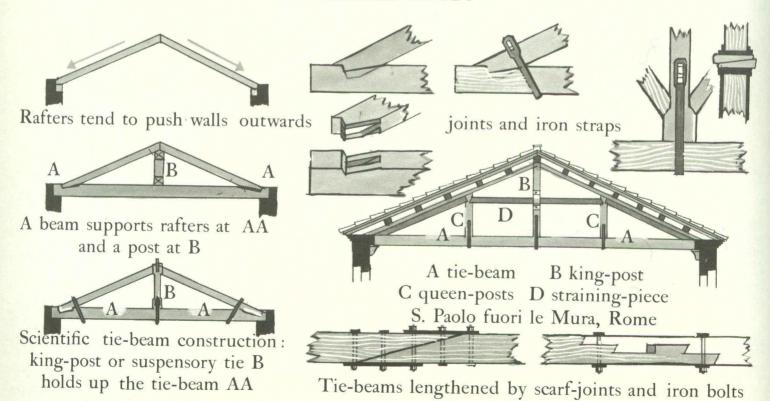
Mozarabic, 'Arabized Spanish': S. Miguel de Escalada, León, A.D. 913

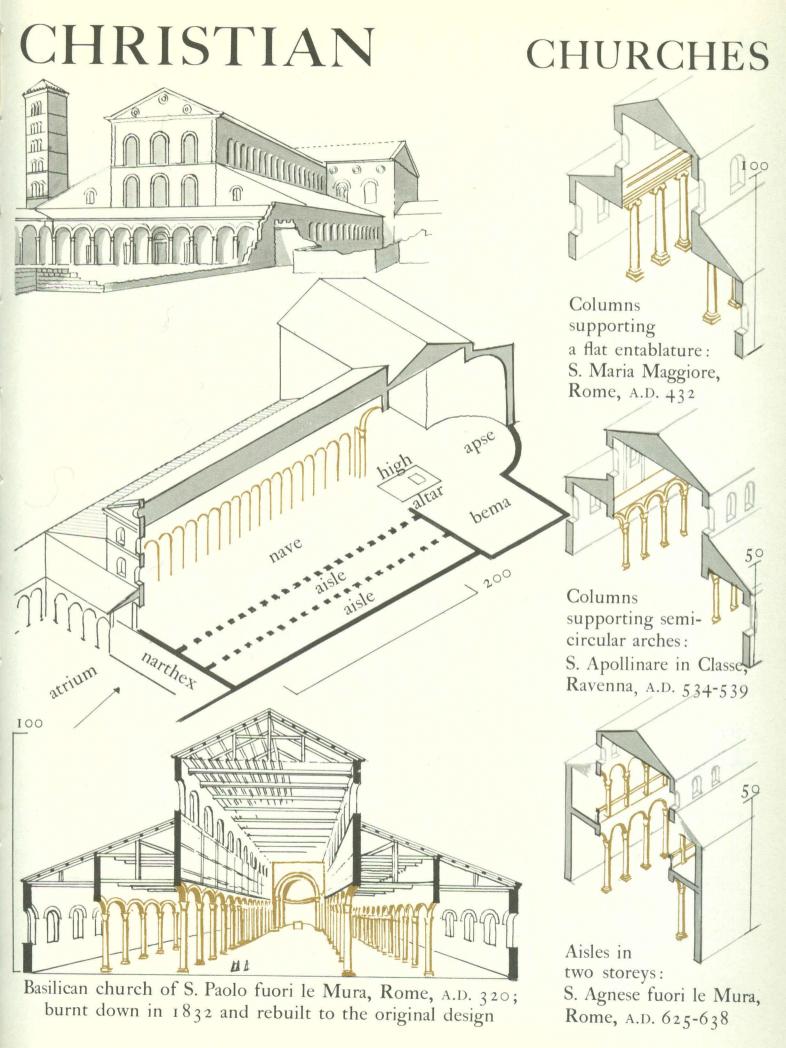
Spanish-Romanesque: S. Vicente de Cardona, Catalonia, c. 1024-1040

ROMAN BASILICA EARLY

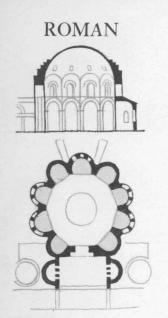


TIMBER ROOFS

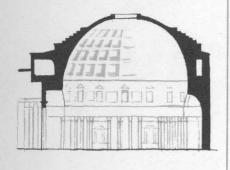


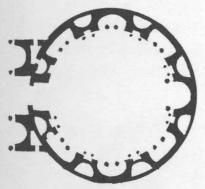


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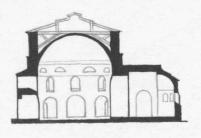


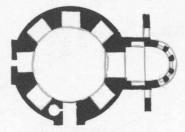
The Minerva Medica, Rome, c. A.D. 260



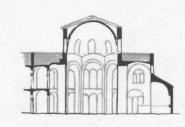


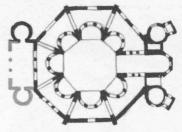
The Pantheon, Rome, A.D. 120-124



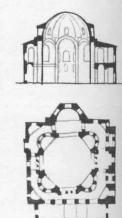


S. George, Salonika, c. A.D. 400

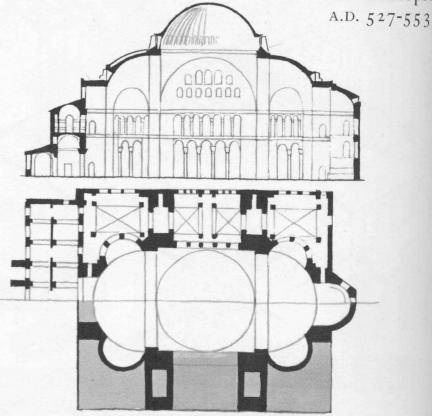




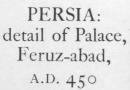
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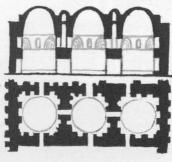


SS. Sergius and Bacchus, Constantinople



S. Sophia, Constantinople, A.D. 532-537

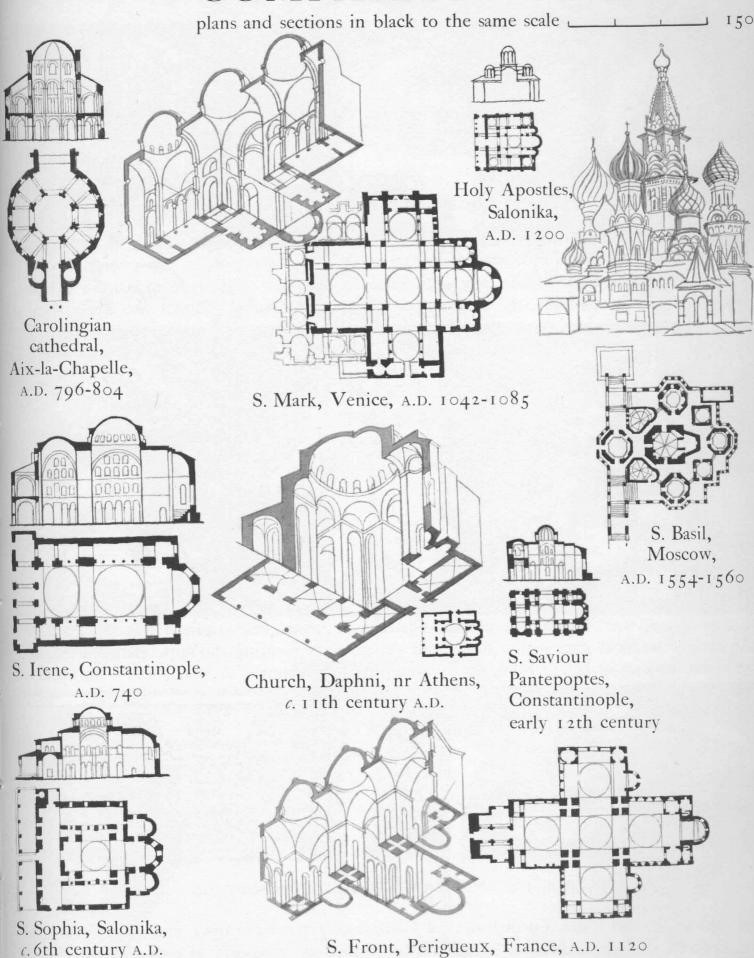






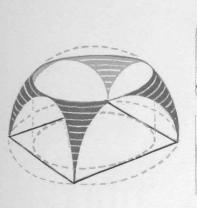
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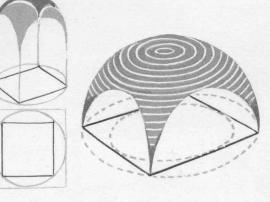


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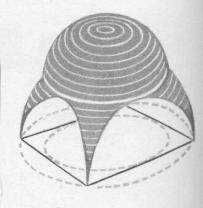
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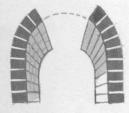
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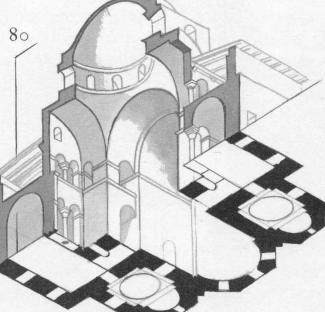
Dome and pendentives parts of one hemisphere



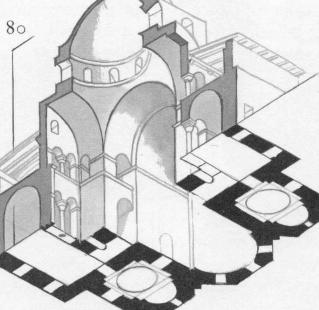
The dome a hemisphere set above pendentives



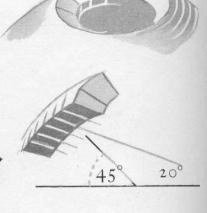
To build an arch centering is necessary,



but a dome can be built in successive rings of horizontal arches without centering



S. Sophia, Salonika, c. A.D. 495

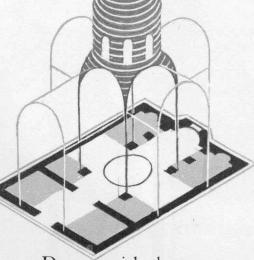


Domes on pendentives built with bricks not radiating from centre

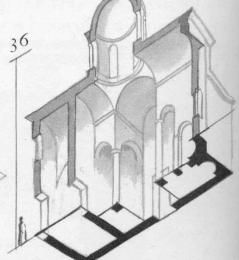


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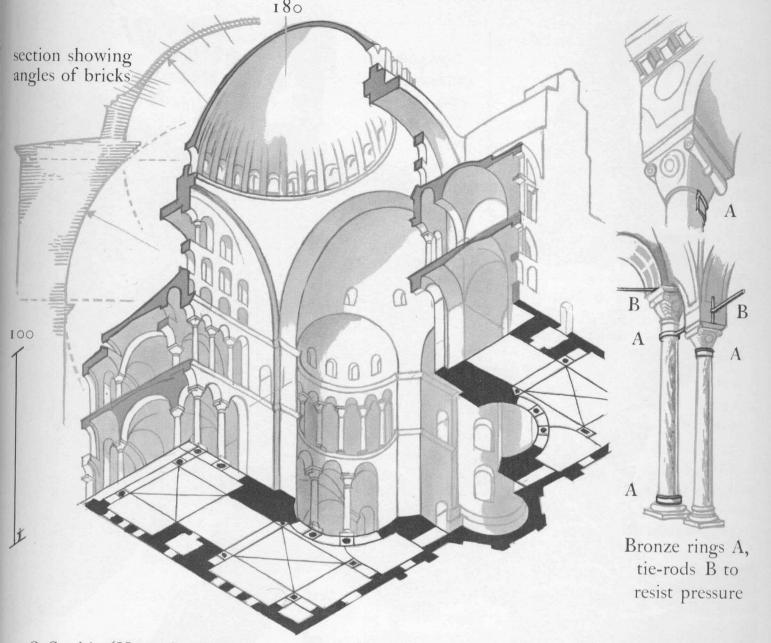
Metropole Athens, A.D. 1250



Dome with drum: cross-in-square plan

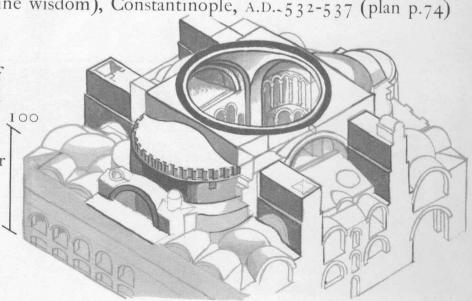


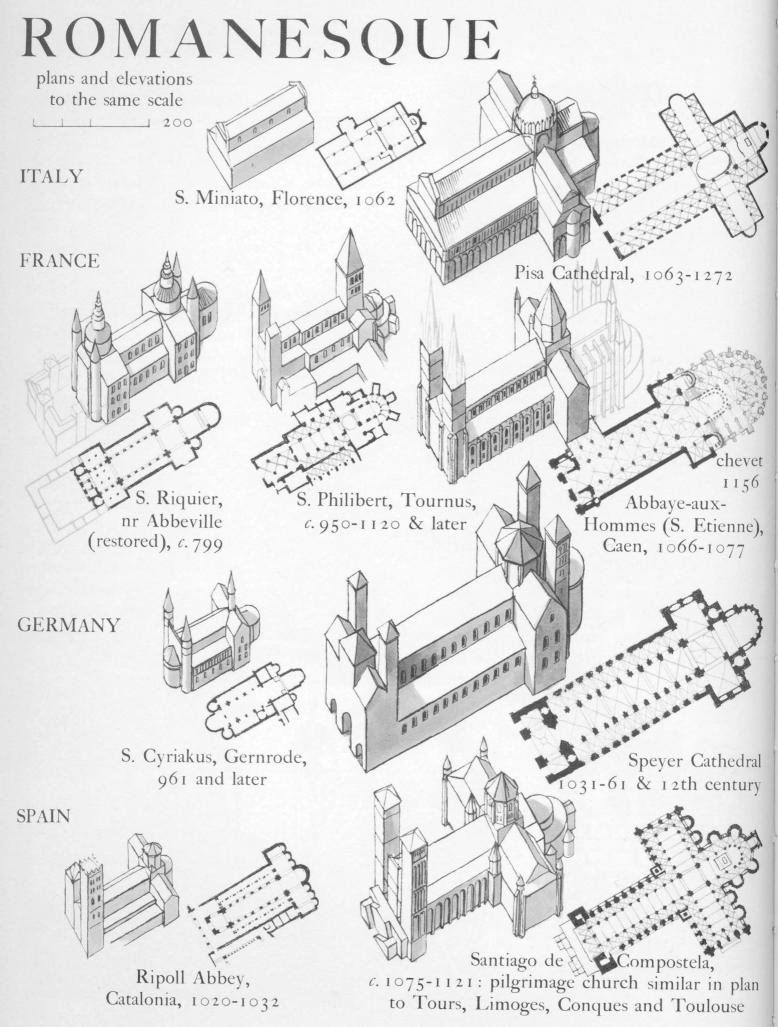
DOMES ON PENDENTIVES



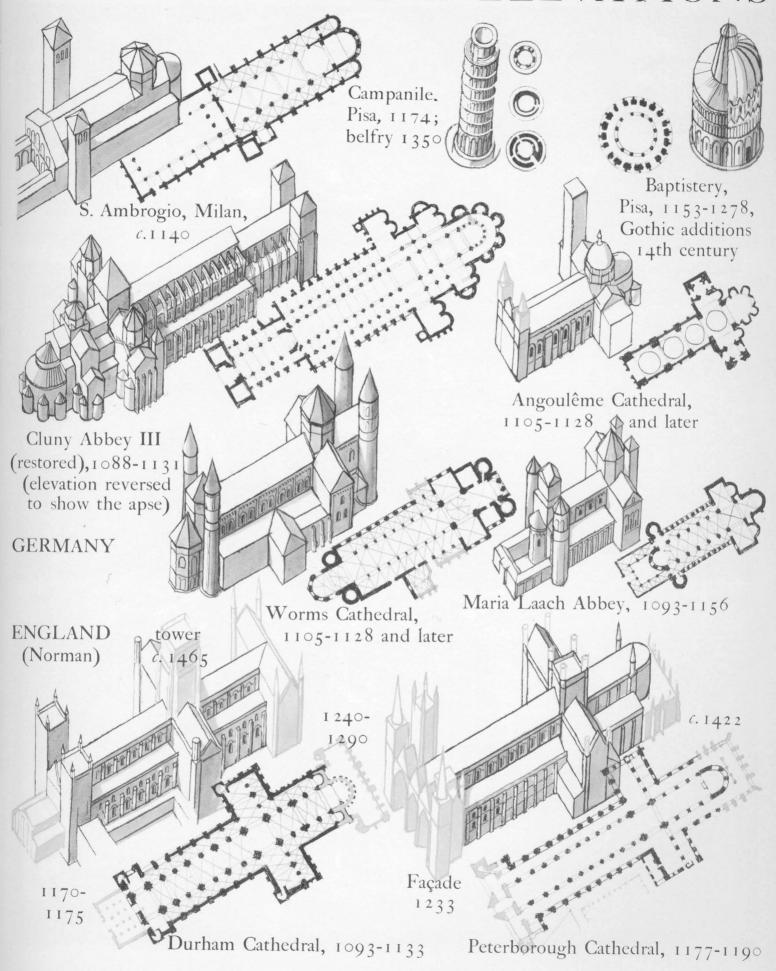
S. Sophia (Hagia Sophia = divine wisdom), Constantinople, A.D. 532-537 (plan p.74)

Built for Justinian by two Greek architects, Anthemius of Tralles and Isodorus of Miletus. Built of brick; the dome probably erected without centering, with bricks about 24-27 inches square and 2 inches thick laid in deep mortar and covered with \(\frac{1}{4}\) inch lead; the dome supported on 4 piers, the thrust being taken by 2 semidomes and 4 massive buttresses; the interior lined throughout in coloured marbles and mosaics

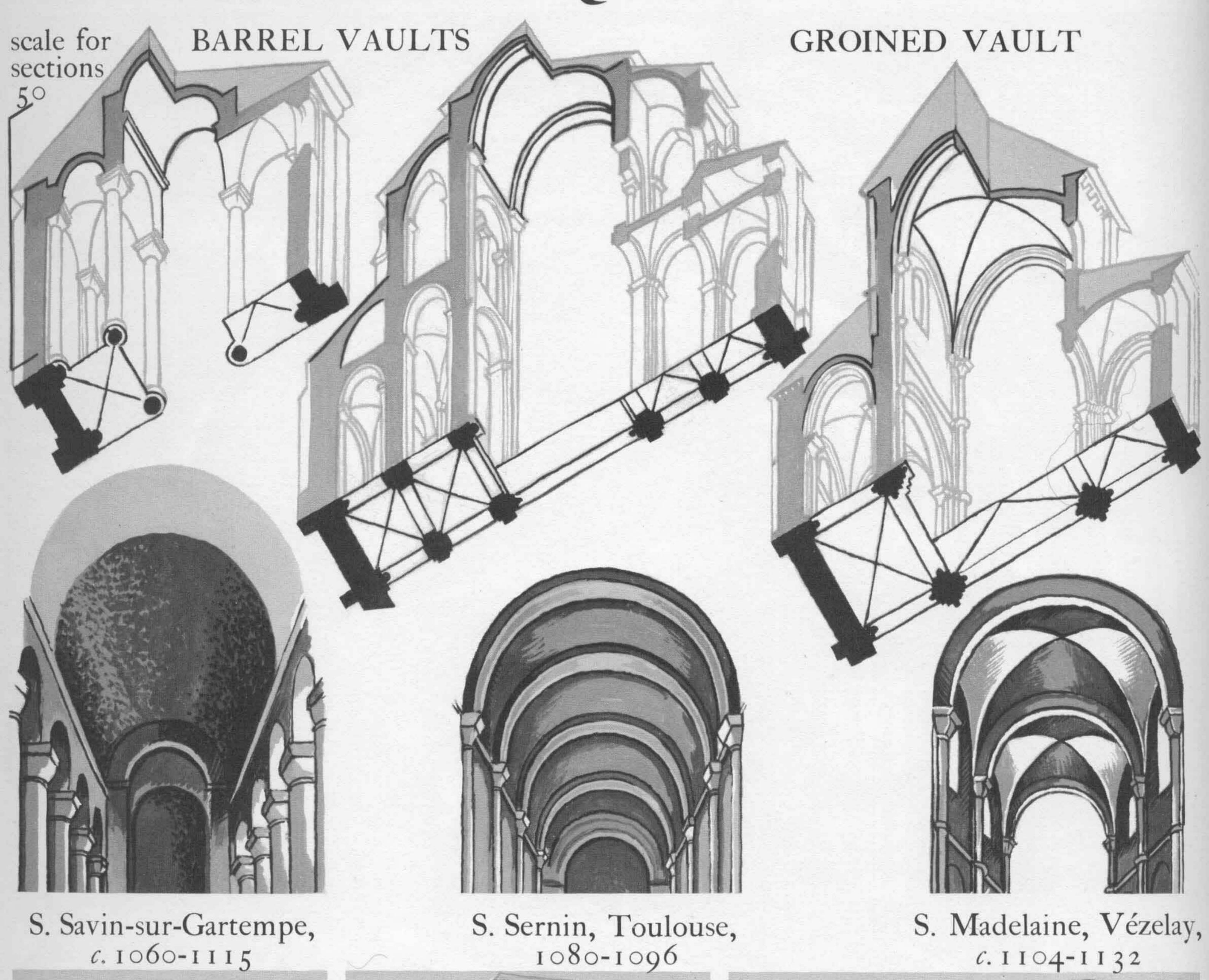


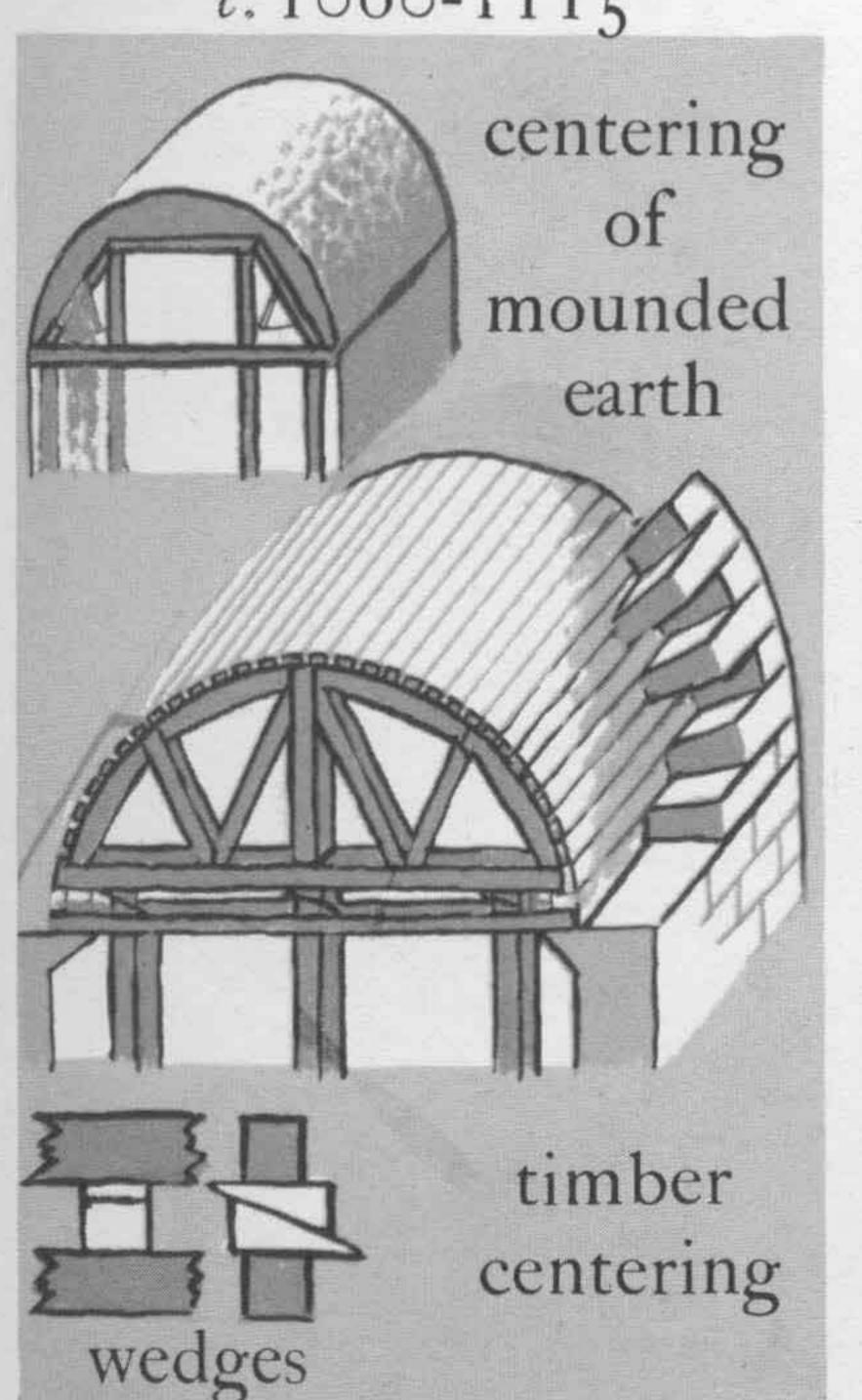


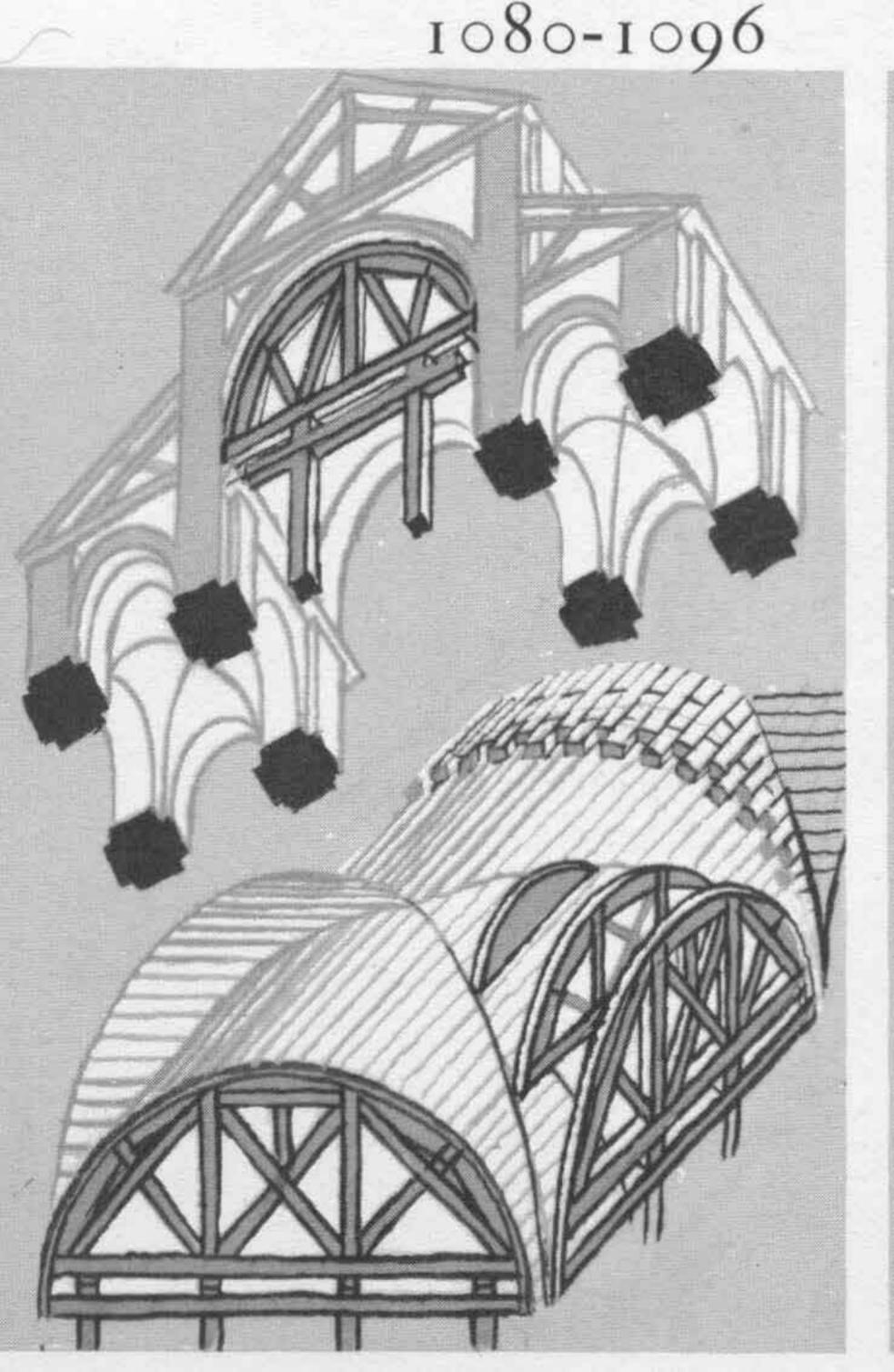
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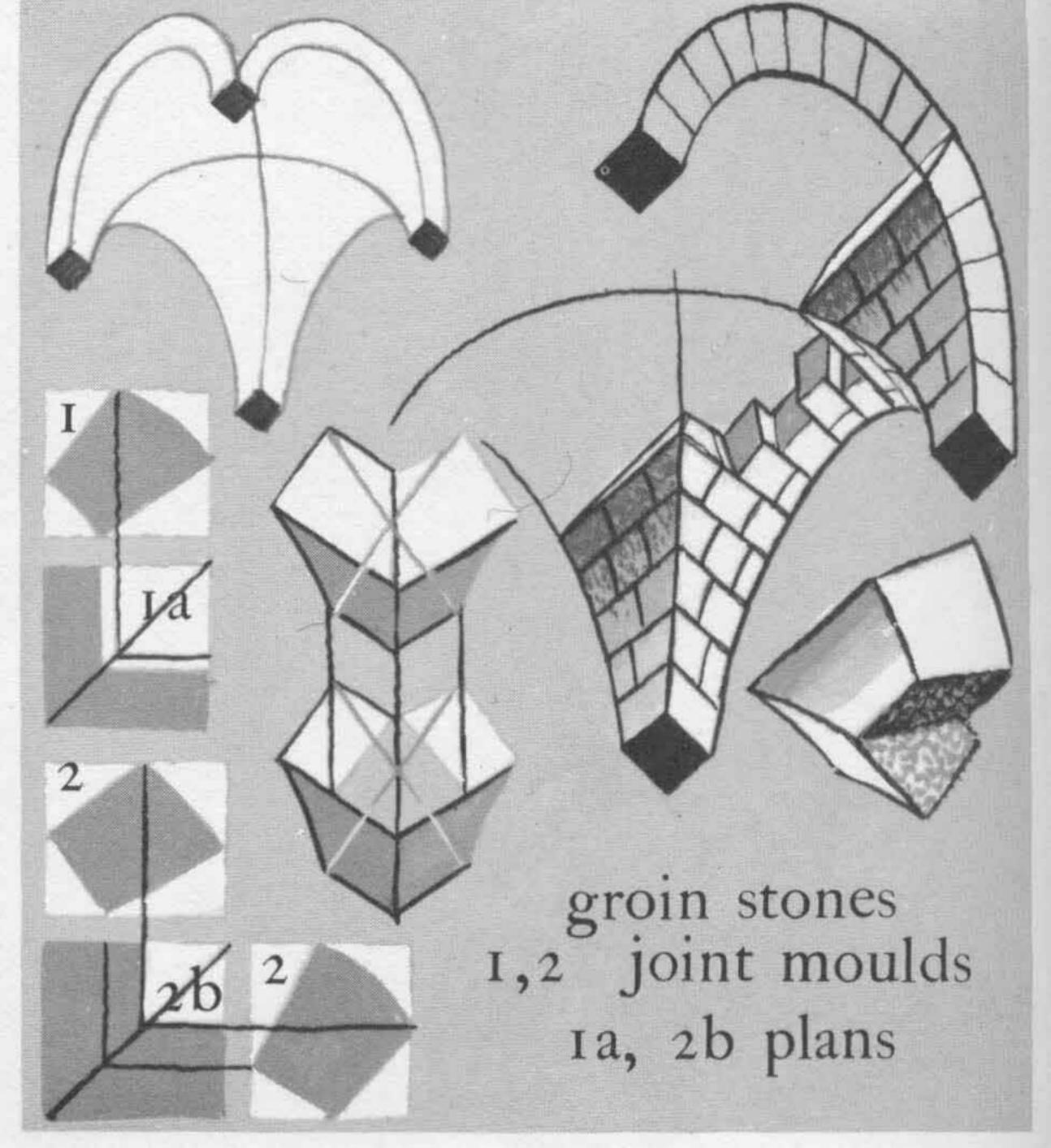


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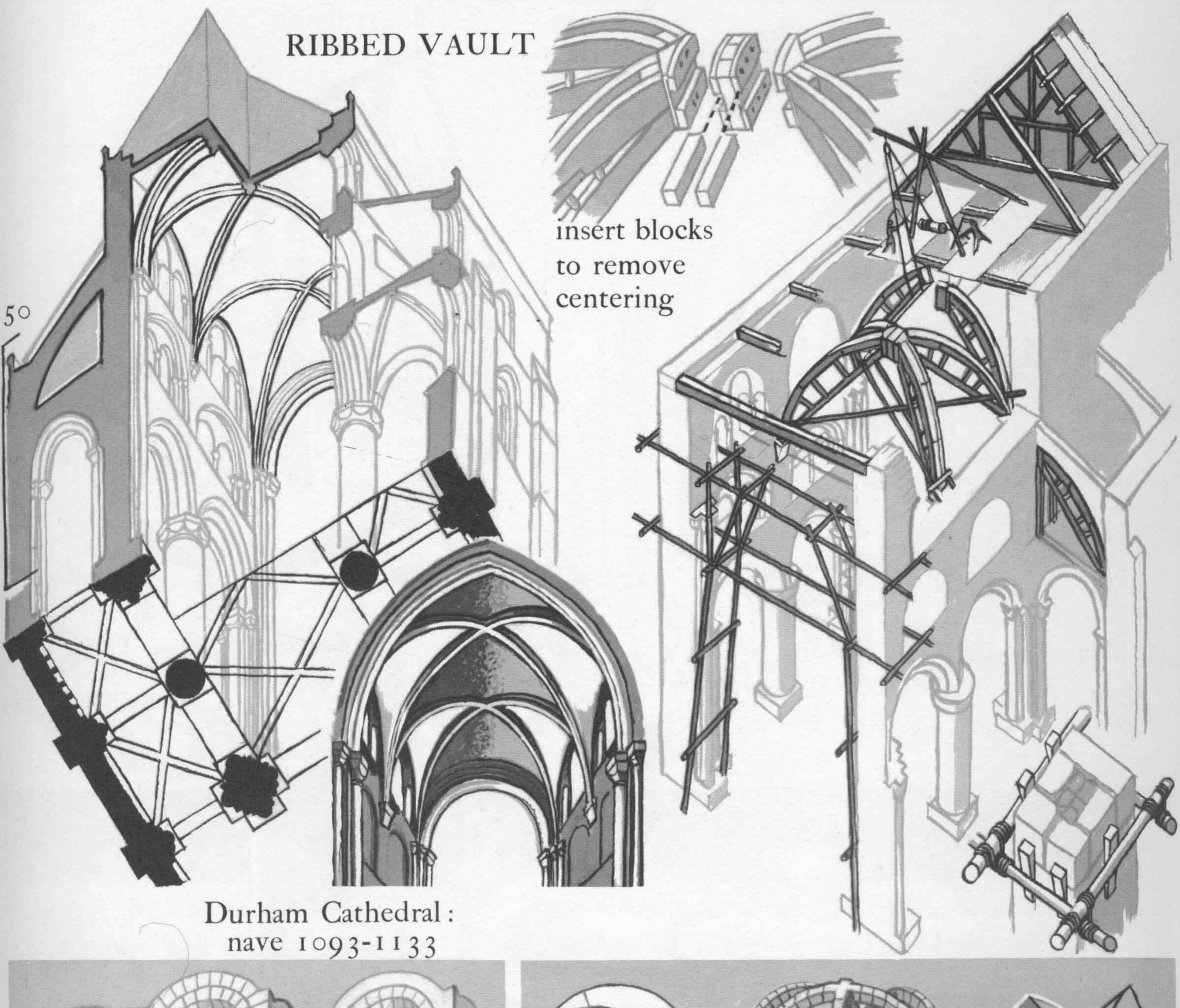


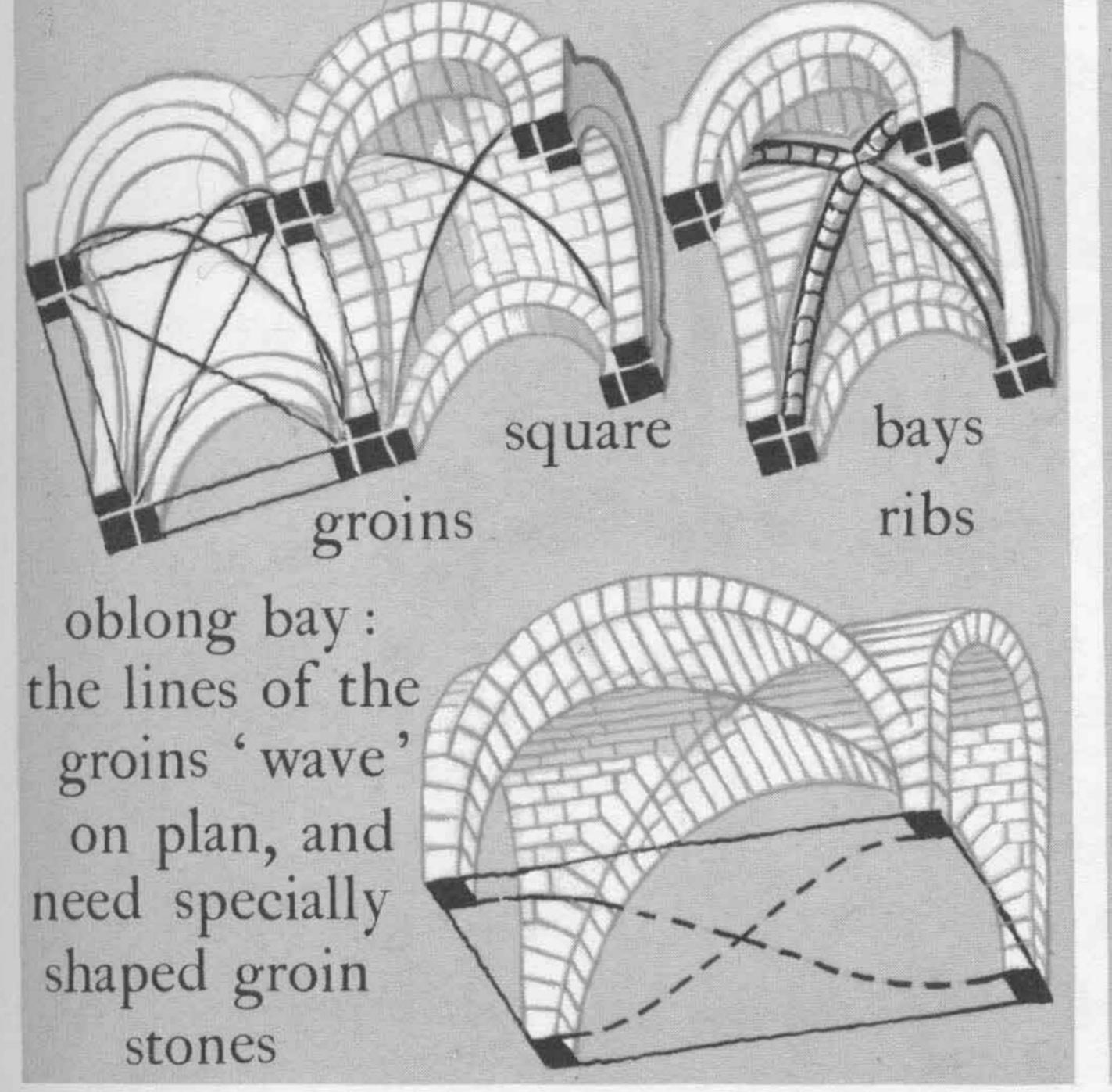


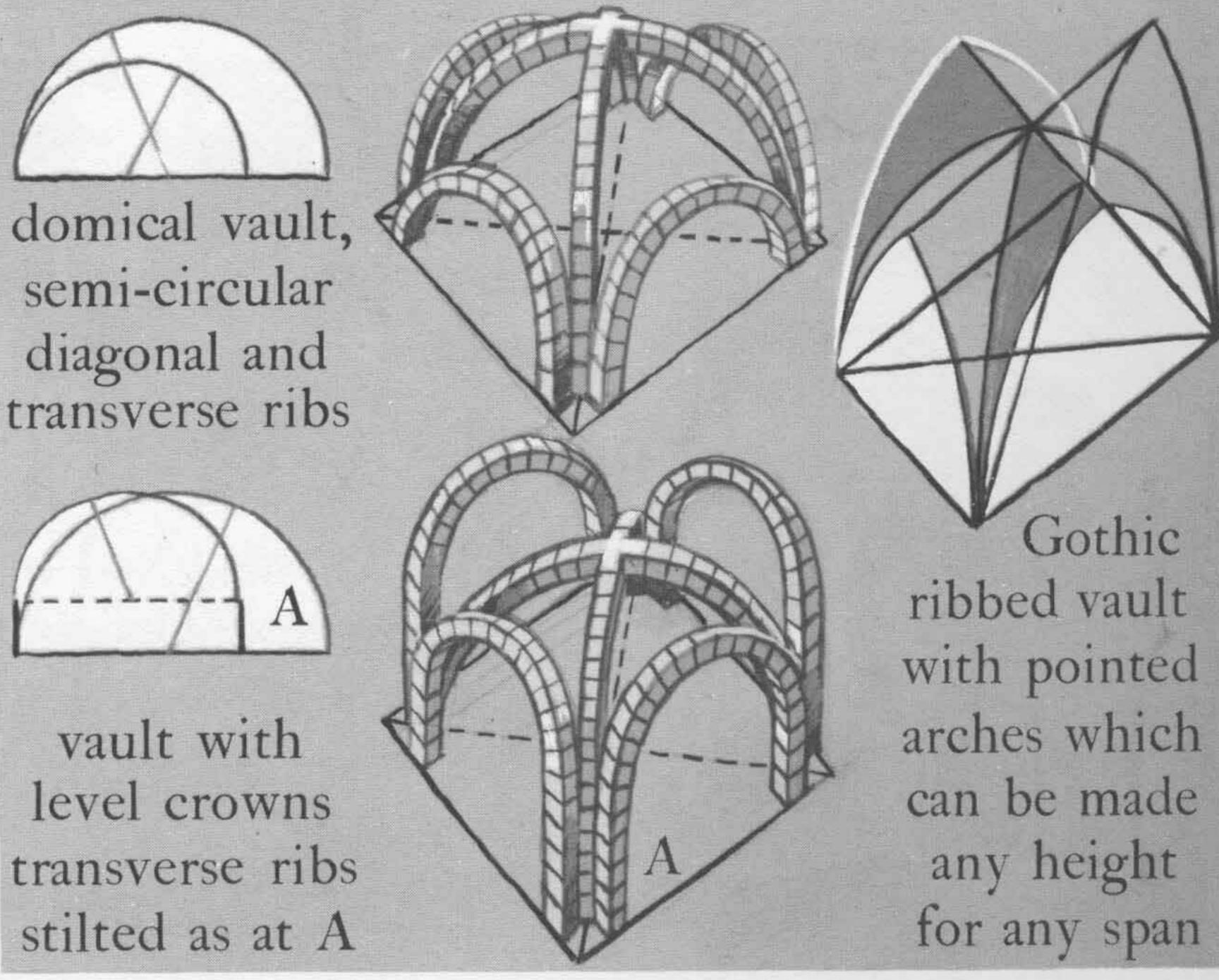




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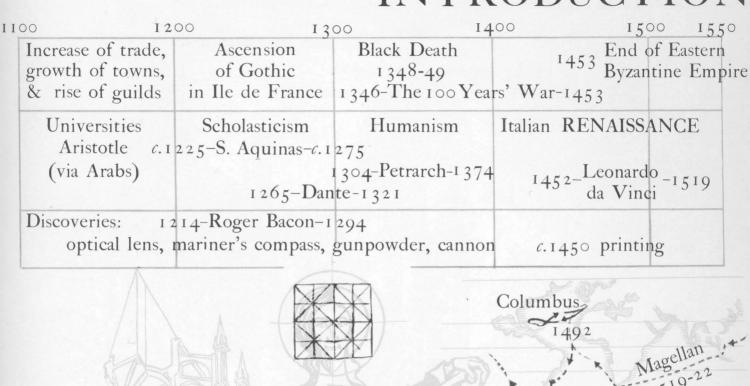




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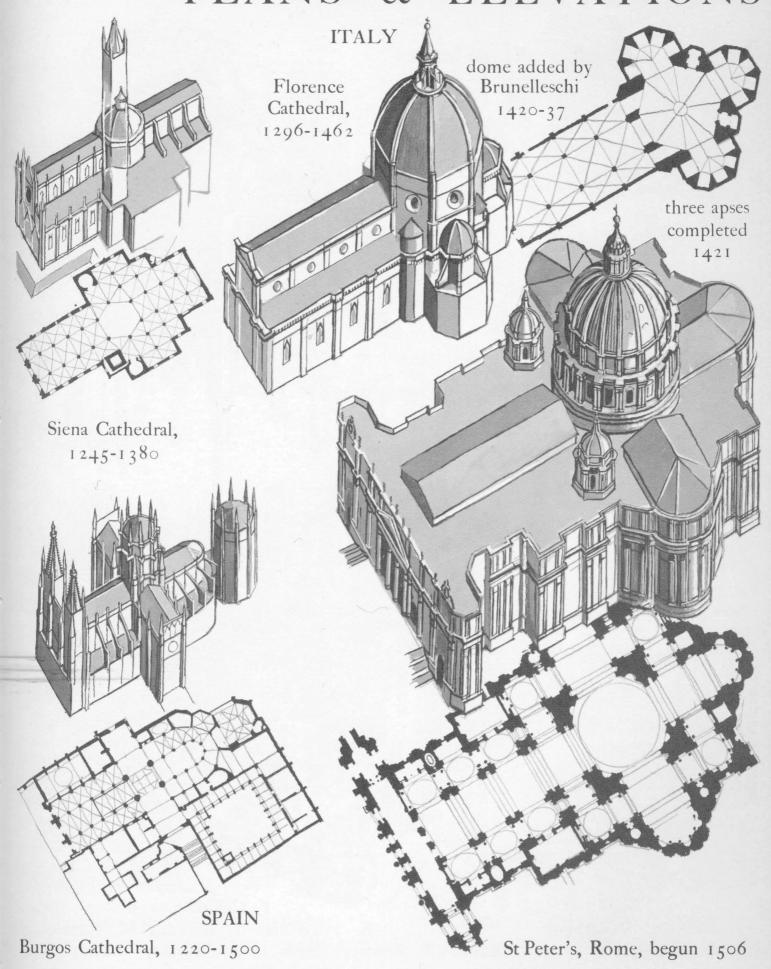
The enlargement of S. Denis, 1144 (p.89) inaugurated a lyrical form of construction in which pointed arches, high stone vaults and flying buttresses were fused into an organic whole, and which reached a crescendo in the cathedrals built in the Ile de France (pp.100-101). Gothic, or the 'style Ogivale' (Fr.: pointed) was known as 'Opus Modernum' or 'Opus Francigenum' (French work); the term 'Gothic', i.e. barbarian, was first used by the Humanists of the Renaissance. Few plans survive by the lay master-masons, who designed their buildings with 'a good wit of geometry' and who directed the quarry-men, stone-cutters, smiths, carpenters & workmen. In England (pp.102-105), France (pp.106-107), Italy (pp.108-109) and Germany (pp.110-111) castles, parish churches, guild-halls and houses followed the same pattern of pointed arches, pinnacles, spires & high-pitched roofs. South of the Alps in Italy Gothic was neutralised by the Roman tradition and ceased with the advent of the Renaissance in the 15th century.

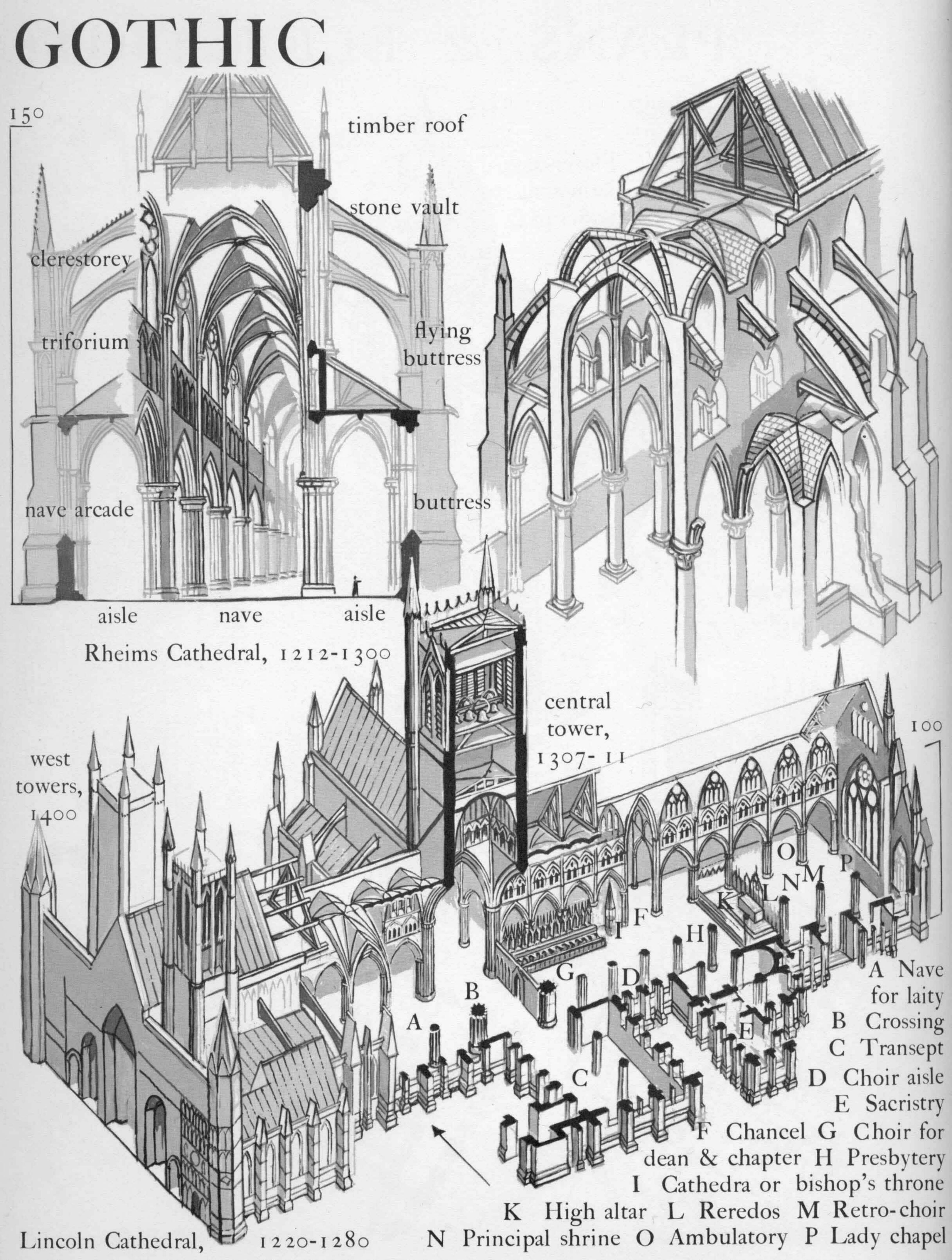
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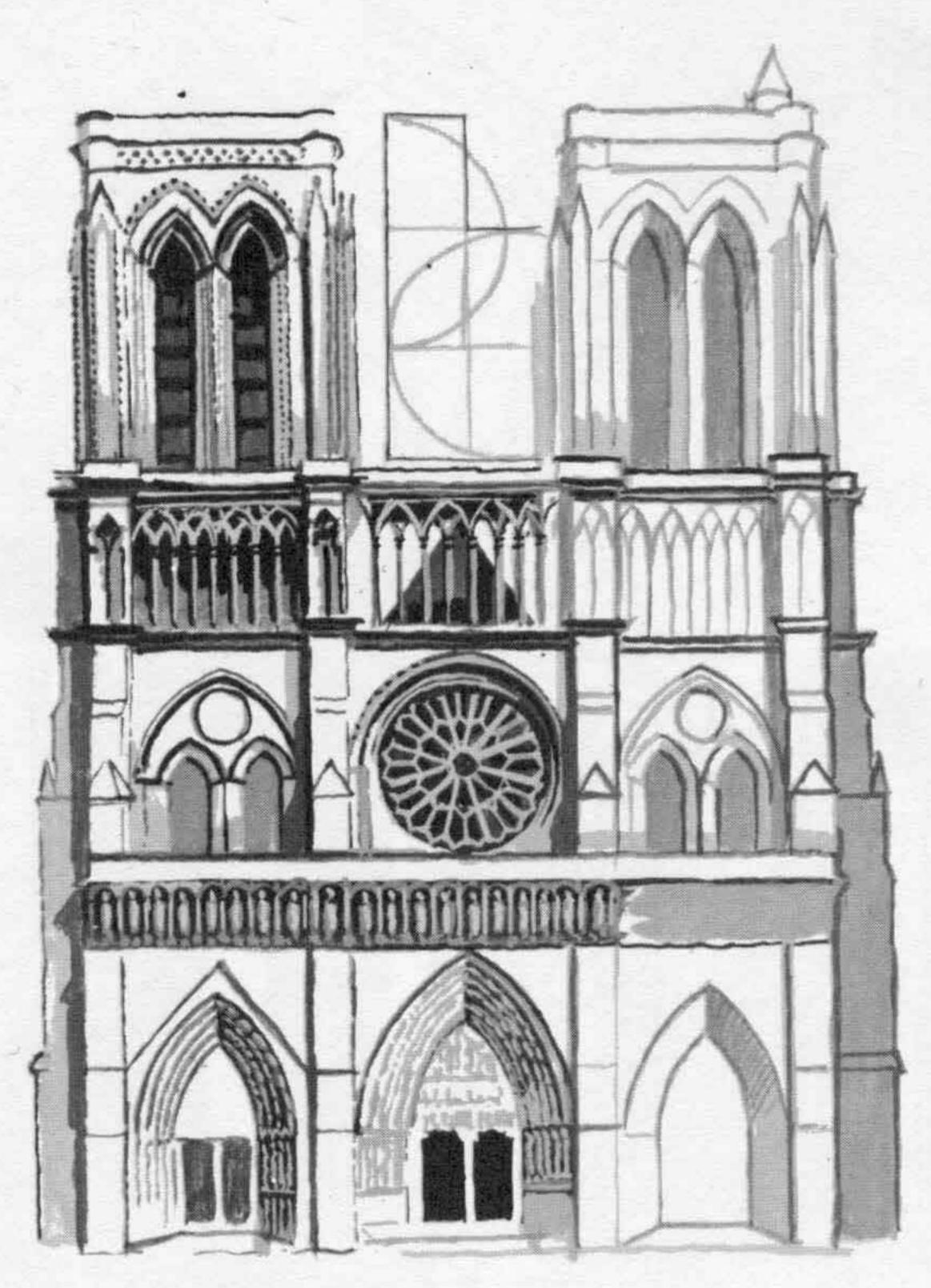




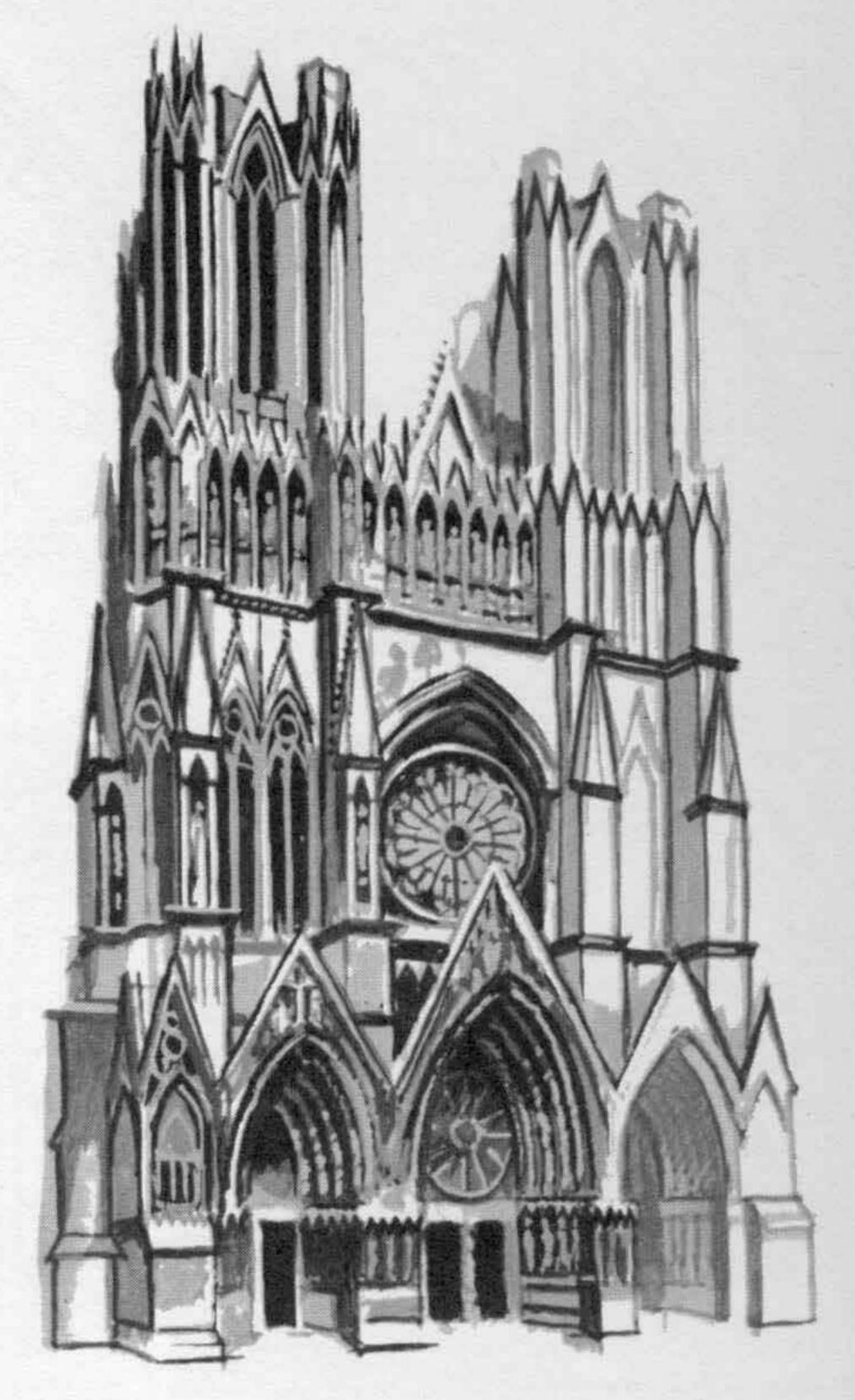
THE PARTS OF A CATHEDRAL



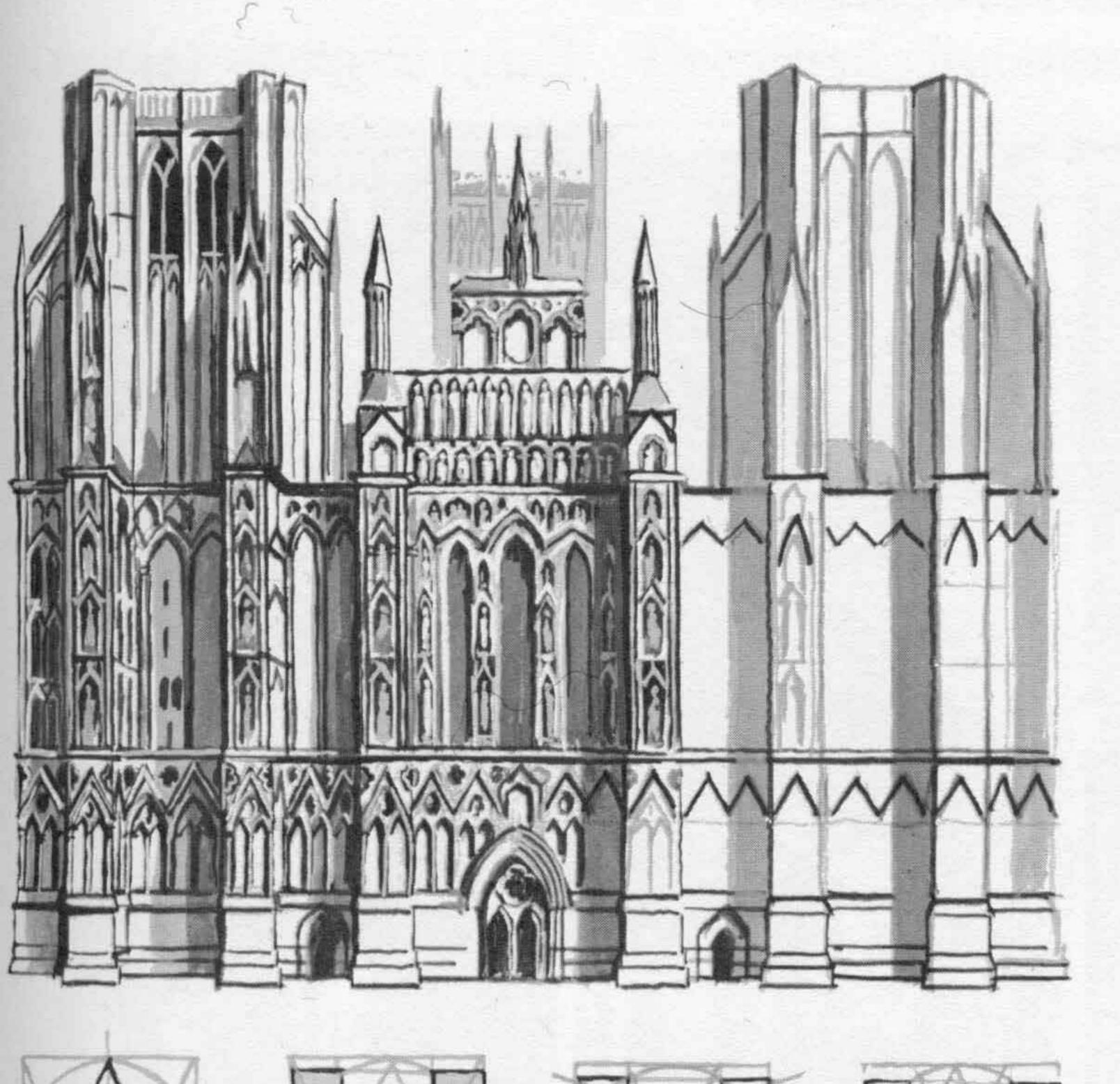
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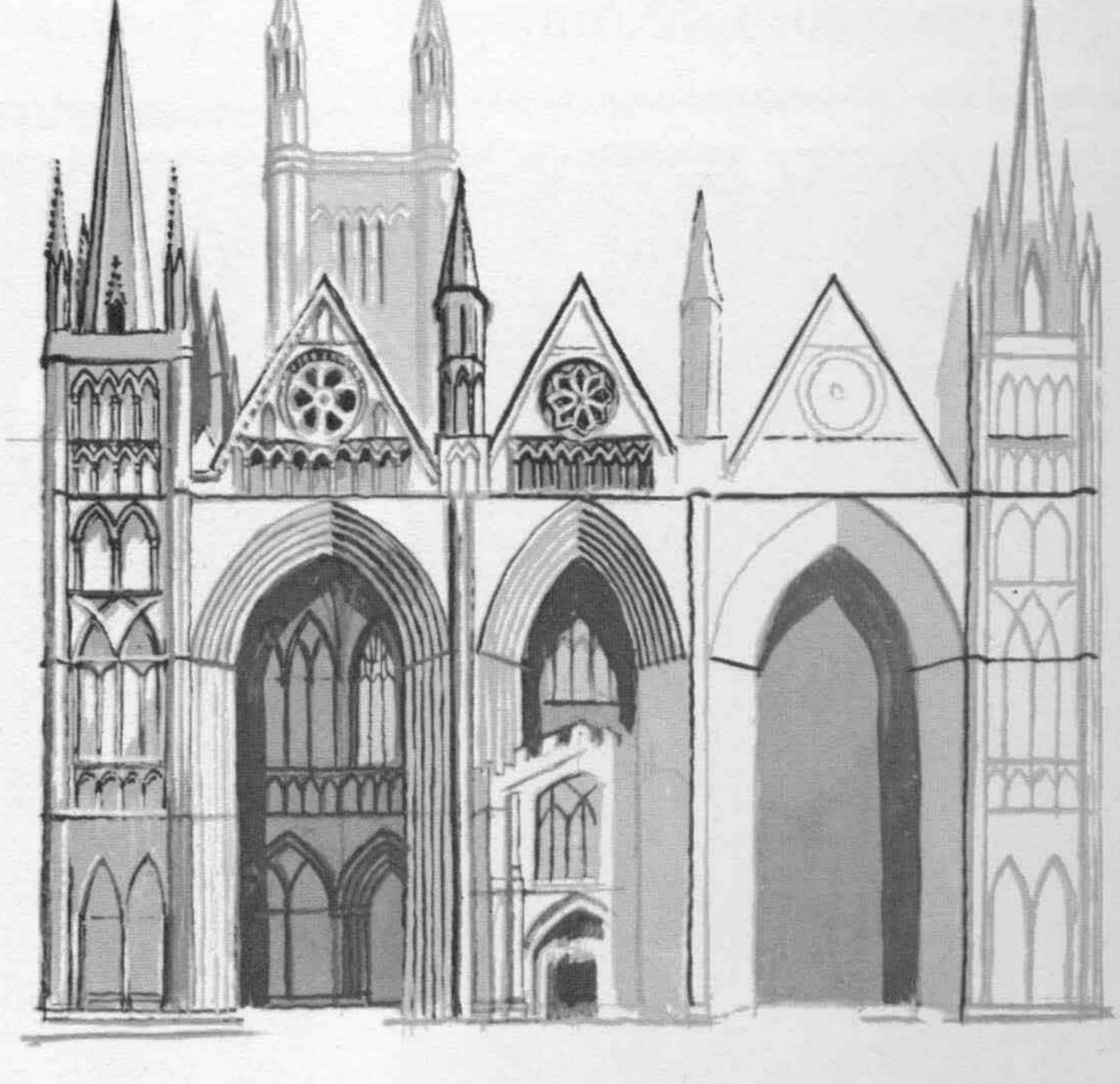
Notre Dame, Paris, c. 1 200-1 250

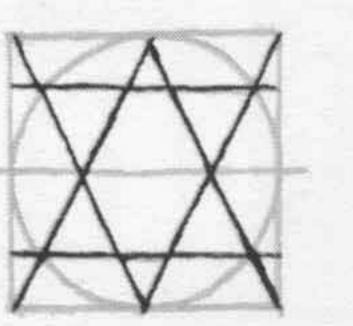


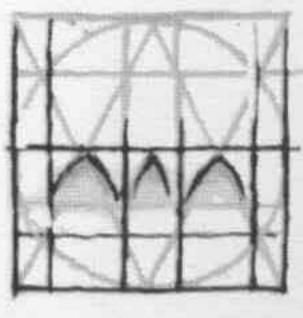
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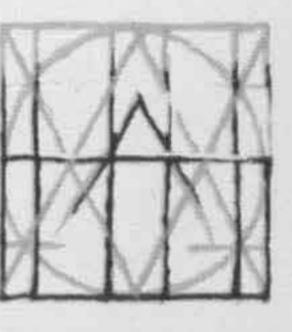


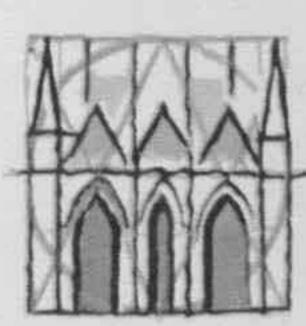
Wells Cathedral, c. 1220-1242







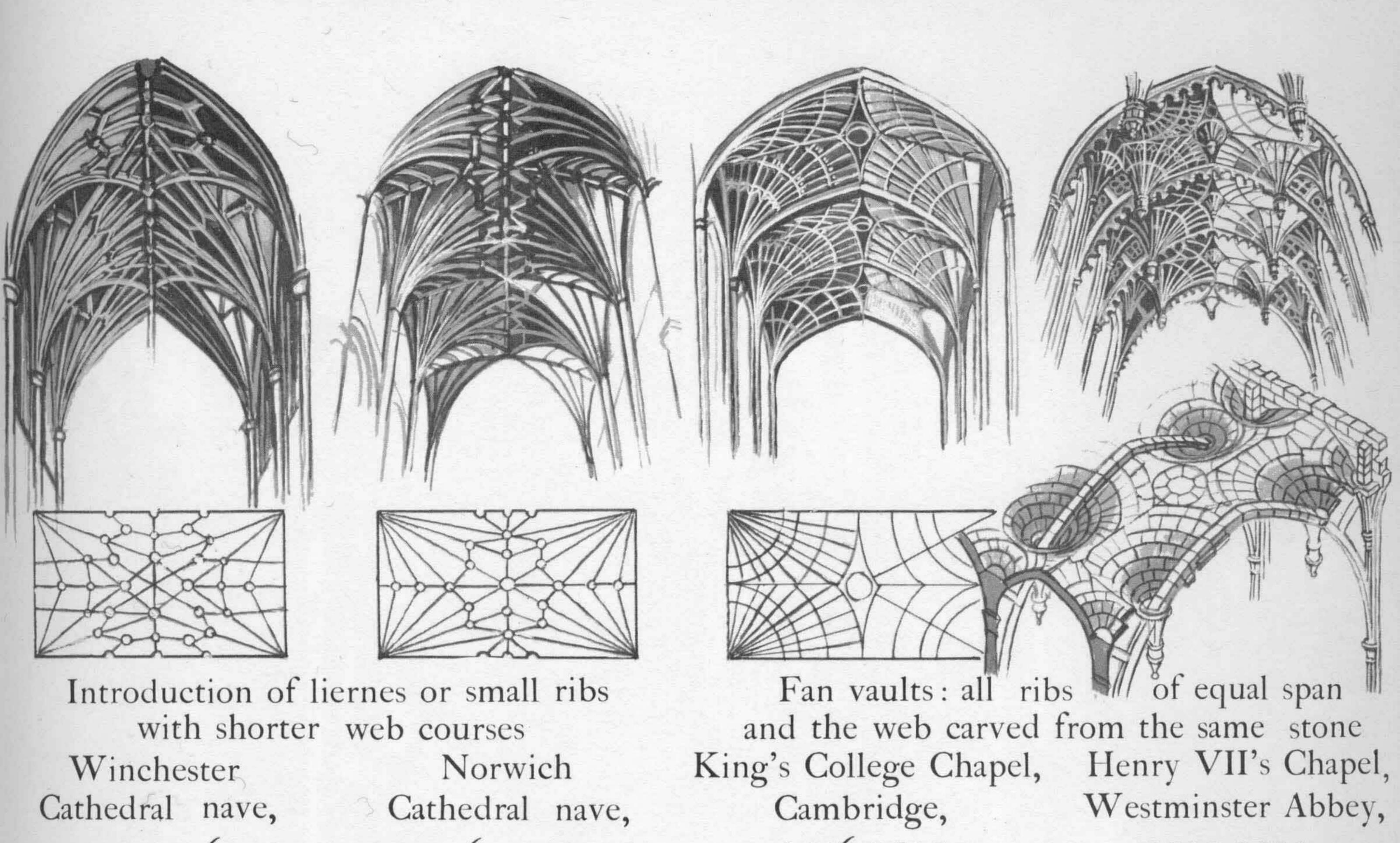


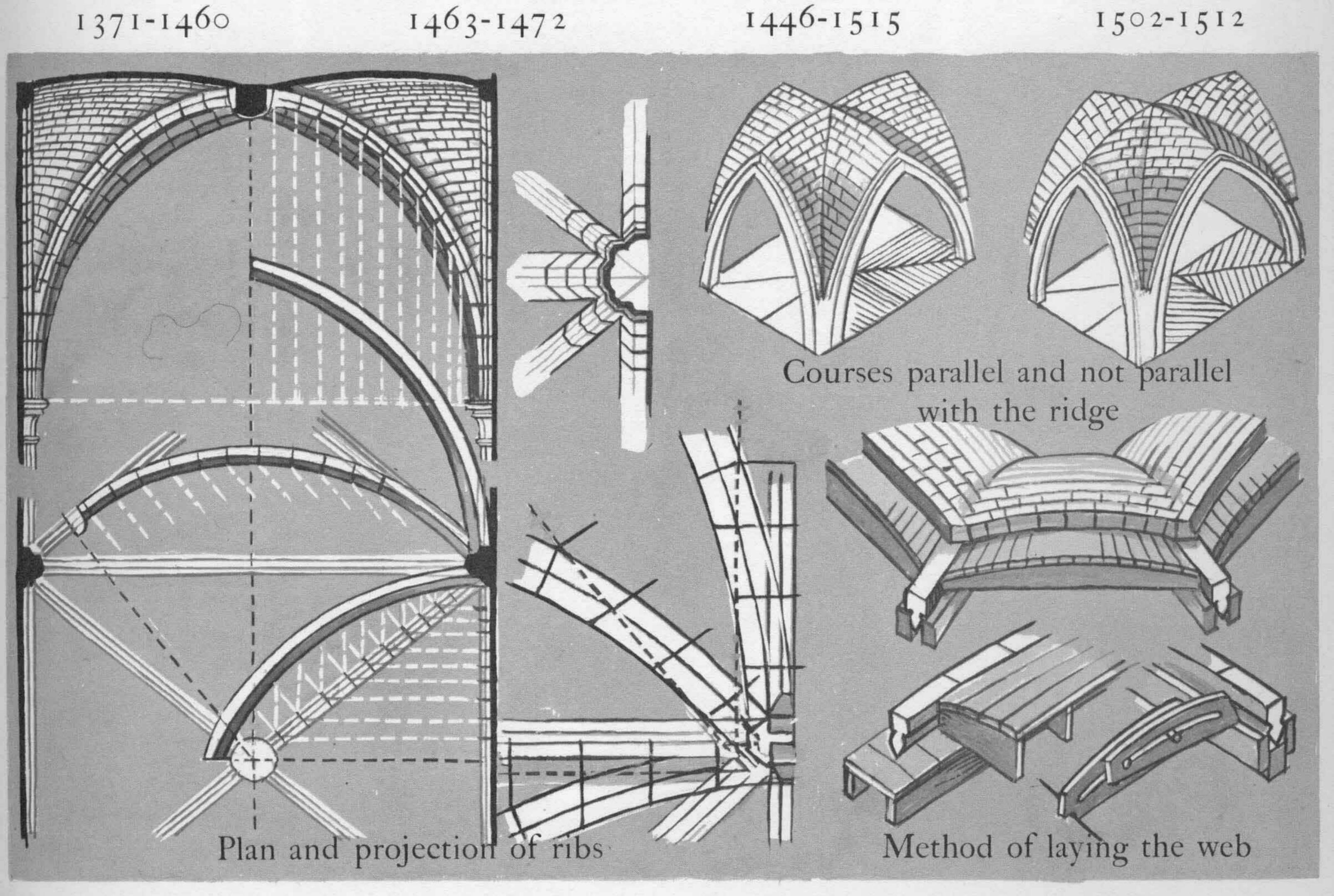


Peterborough Cathedral, c. 1235

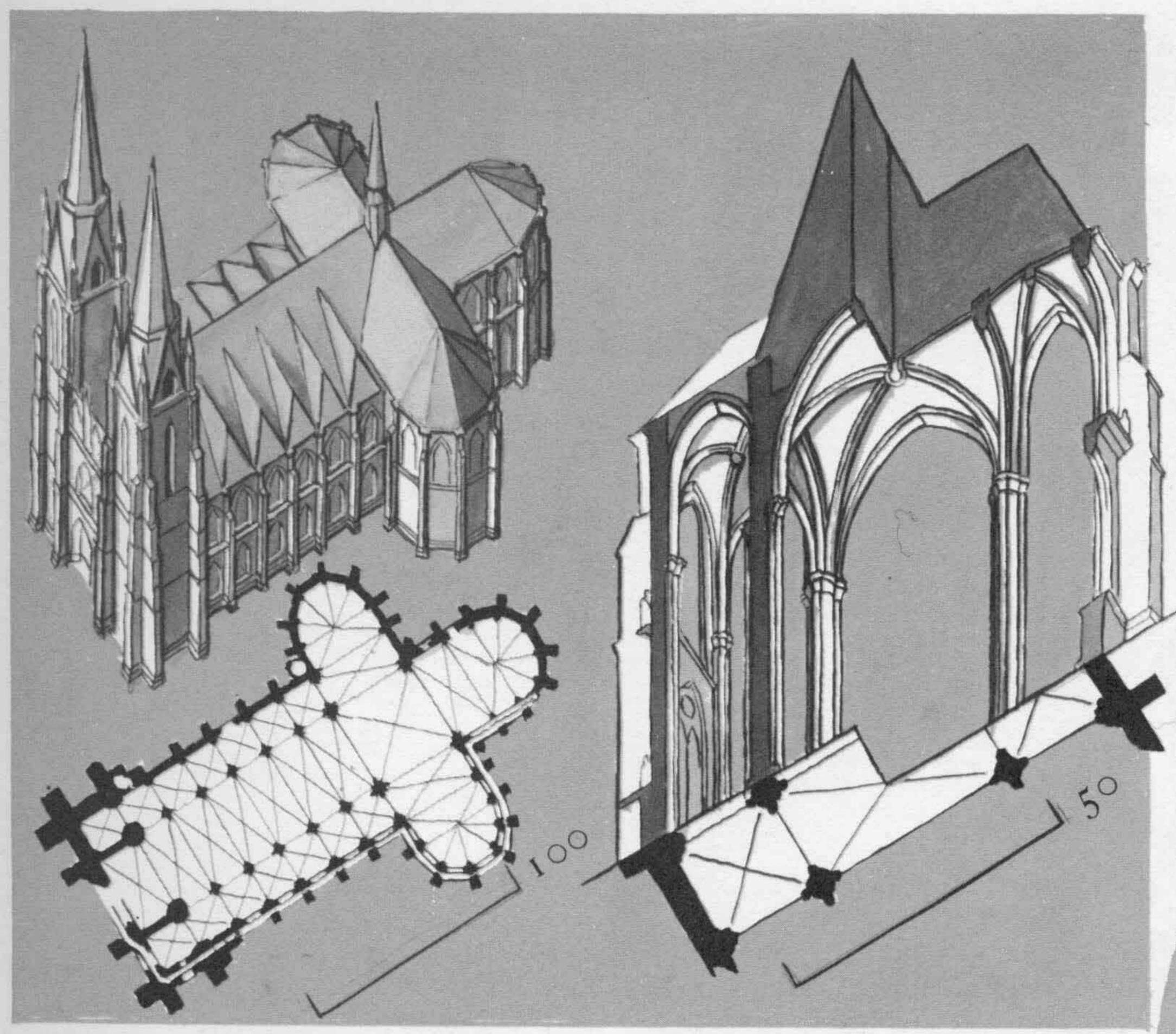
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ENGLAND, STONE VAULTING

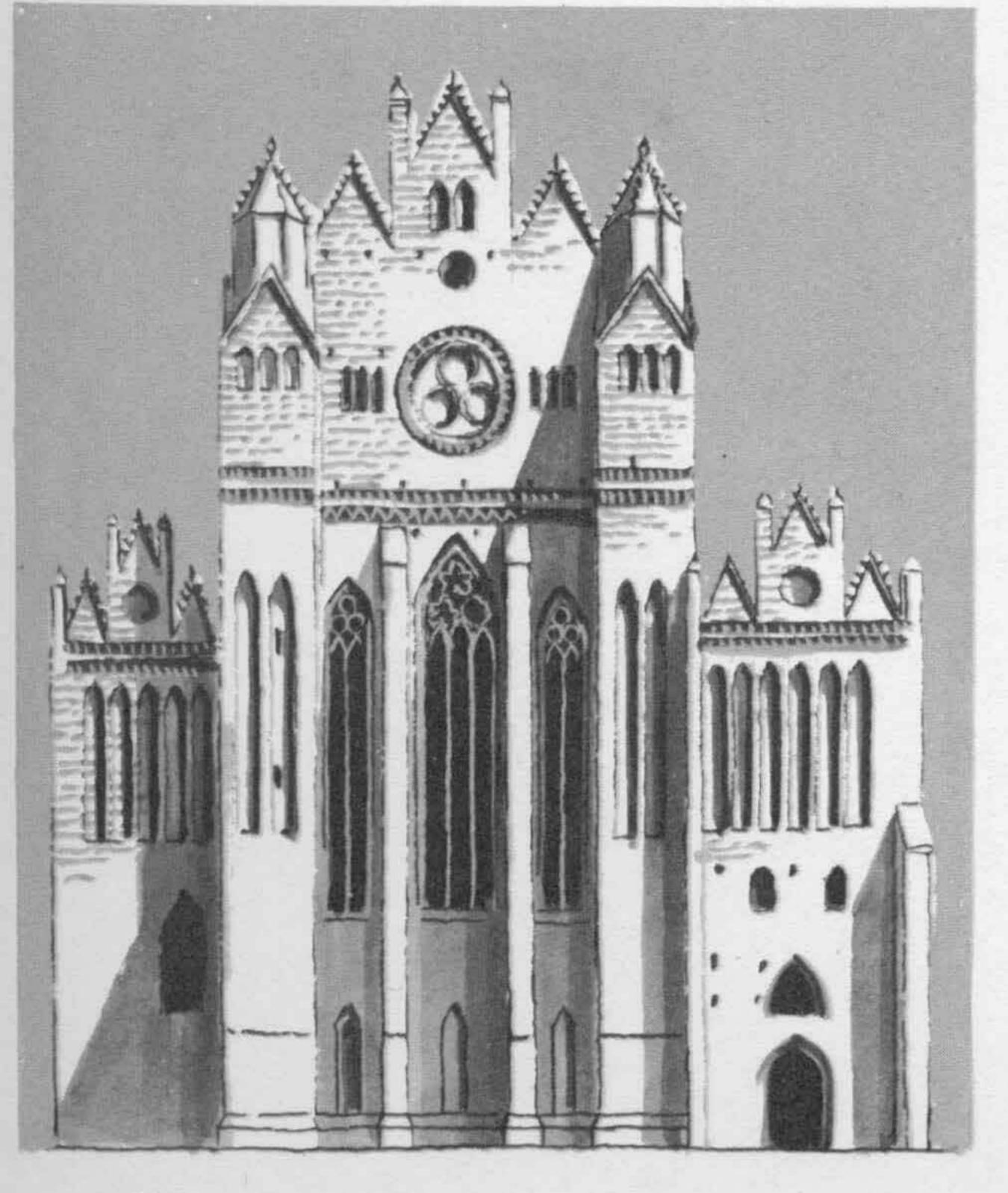




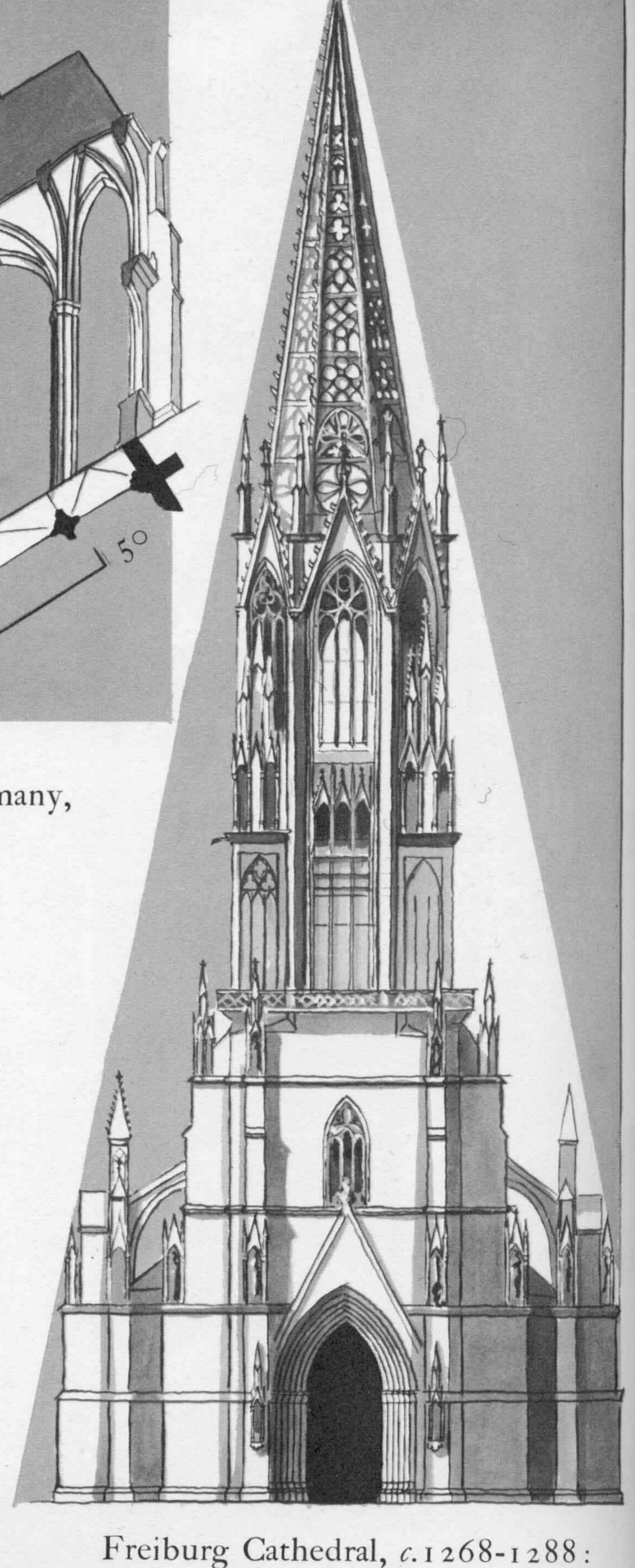
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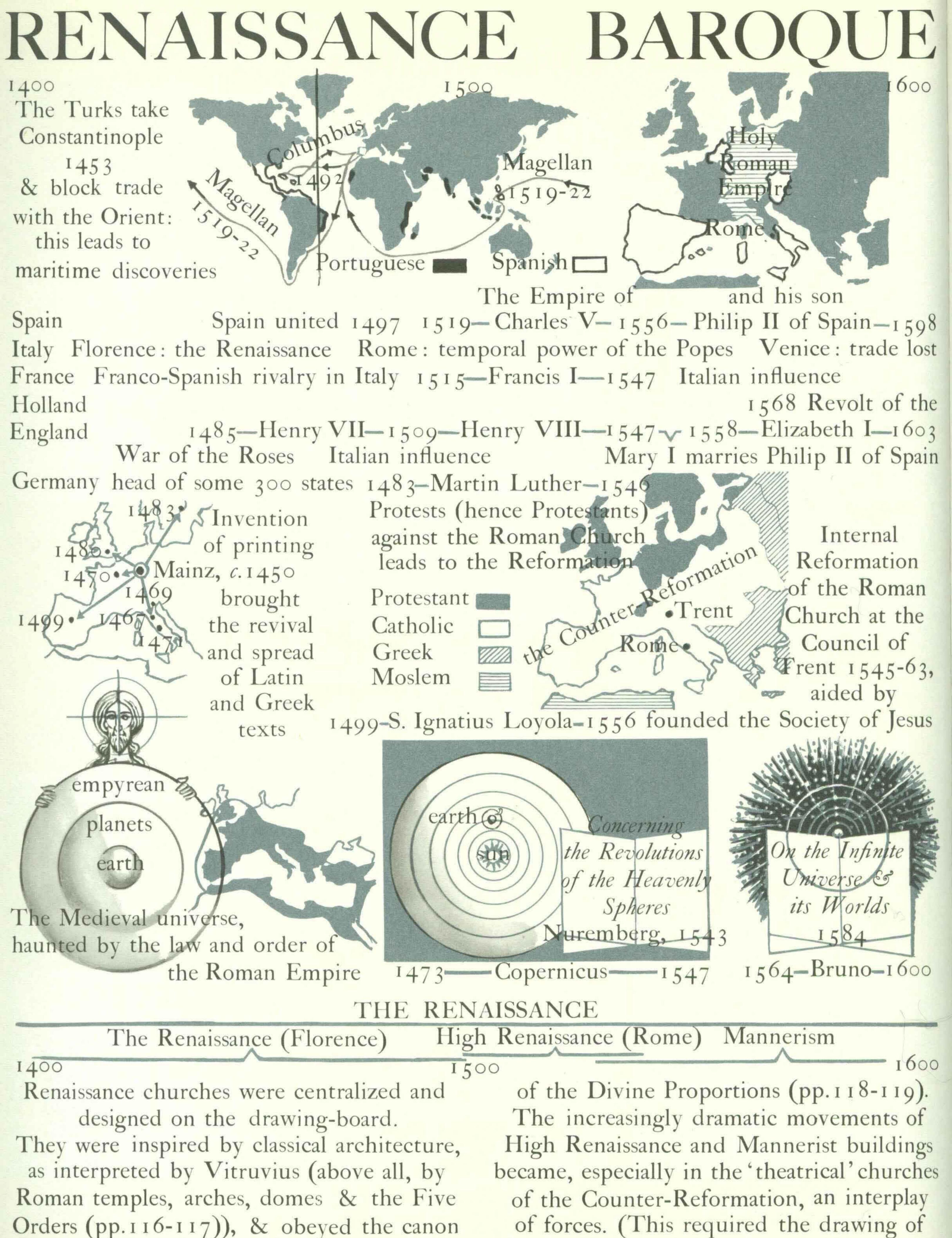
S. Elizabeth, Marburg, c. 1233-1283: one of the many 'Hall' churches in North Germany, having the nave and aisles of equal height



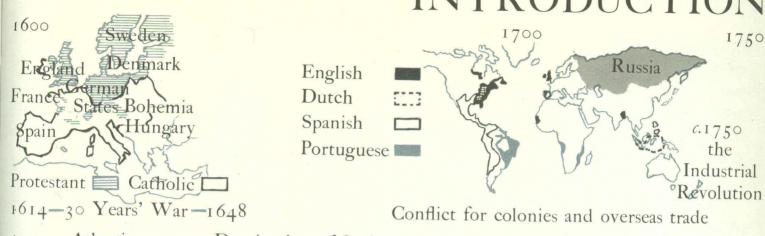
Chorin Abbey, c. 1273-1334: west front



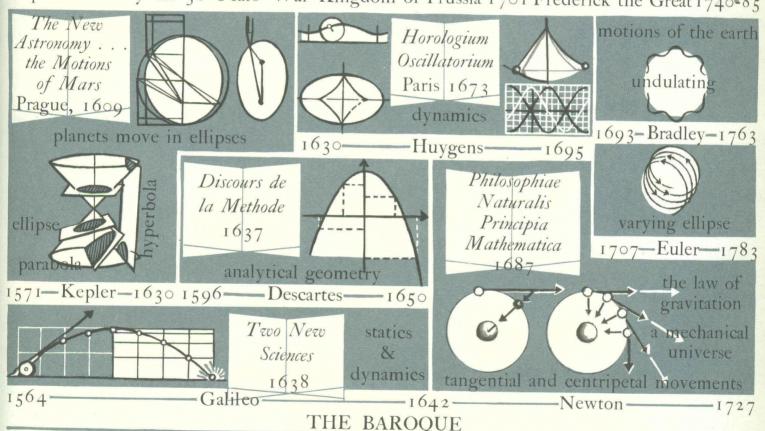
Freiburg Cathedral, c. 1268-1288: west front



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Baroque

three-dimensional elevations and curved

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details by means of projective geometry, which had been developed by the new science of dynamics.)

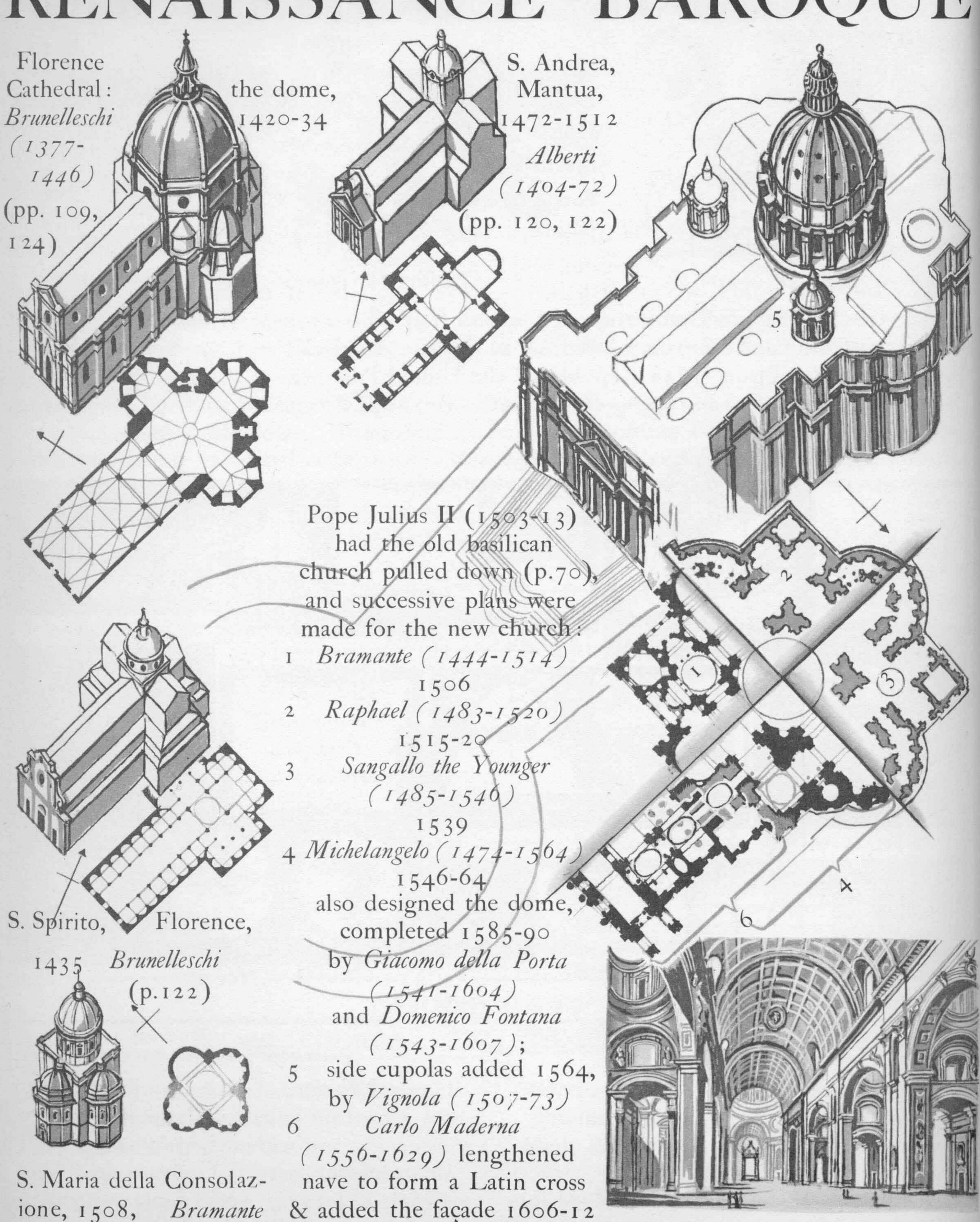
This Baroque style was finally resolved into the lighter curves of the Rococo.

Rococo

1750 The architecture of each European country was a reaction to that of Italy, modified by its own native characteristics.

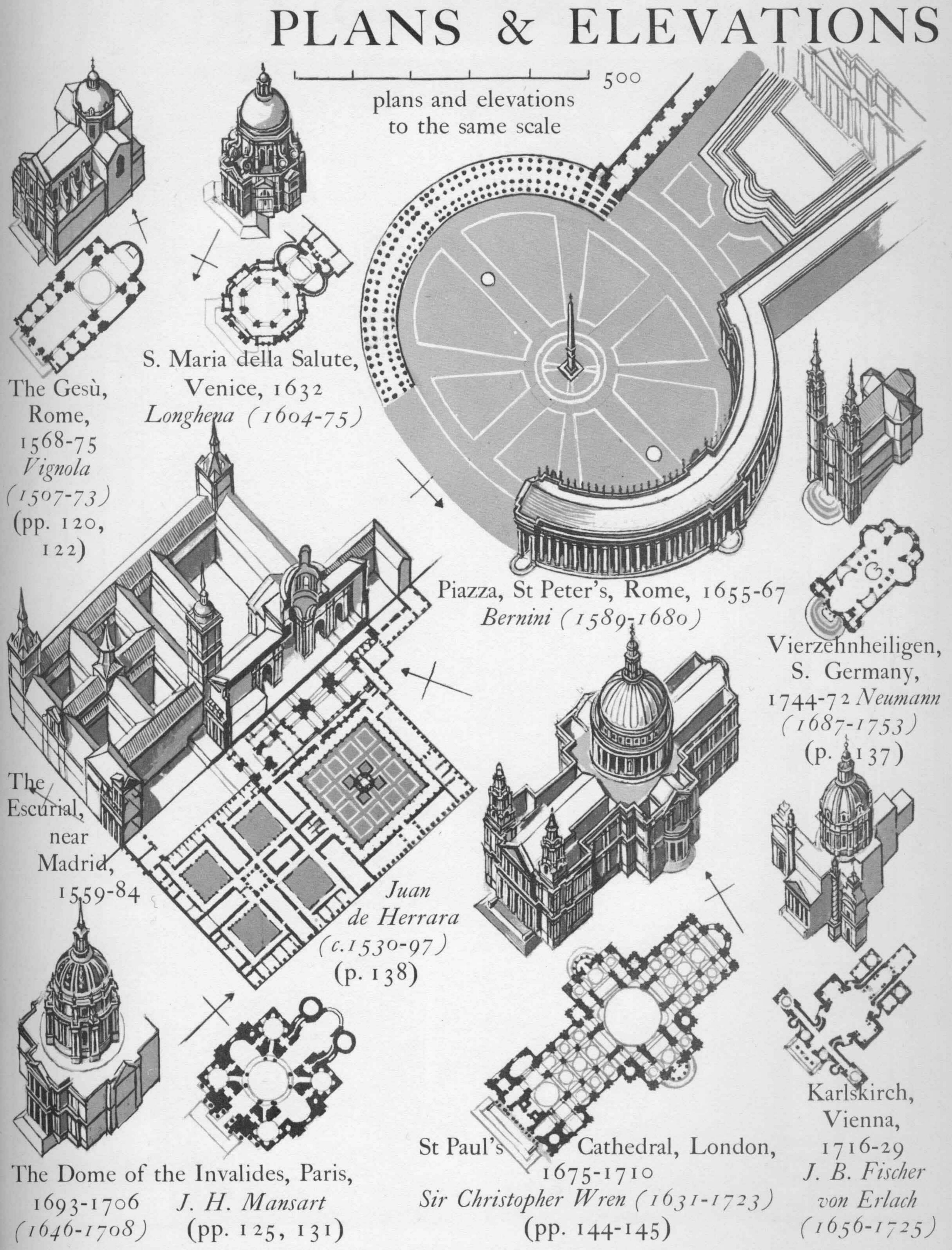
France (pp. 130-133), Germany & Austria (pp.134-135), Spain (pp.136-137), England (pp. 138-159).

RENAISSANCE-BAROQUE



& Cola di Caprarola

St Peter's, Rome, 1506-1612 (pp. 93, 124)



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Sources of Italian architectural theory:

1. The study of Roman buildings.

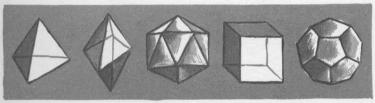
2. The Platonic-Aristotelian description of God and the Universe as a perfect circle.

3. The Pythagorean, and Medieval, idea of Man as the microcosm of the Universe (the macrocosm). 4. The linking of Geometry and Music, two of the Seven Liberal Arts:

'Geometry makes visible the musical consonances' (Boethius, *De Musica*, c.500). In Florence Cosimo de Medici (1389-1462) founded the Platonic Academy.

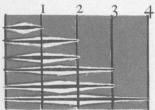
The Timaeus Plato 427-347 B.C.

gives an account of the creation and geometrical form of the universe. He represents the four basic elements and the cosmos as:



these 'Platonic' bodies are the 5 regular solids. The elements of the cosmos, as well as its soulsubstance & its motion, were created proportionate to musical ratios based on Pythagoras (582-c.507 B.C.) He 'regarded numbers as the elements of all things and the whole heaven as a numerical scale' (Aristotle), & found that

tones could be measured by striking cords proportionate in length.

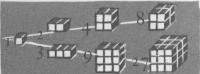


1:2 octave

2:3 fifth

3:4 fourth

Plato gives the 'Harmonic' scale as:



which contain the musical consonances 1:2, 2:3, 3:4.

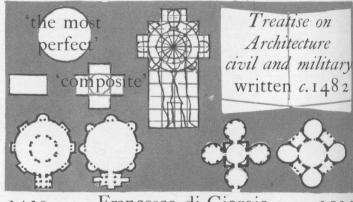
For Renaissance architect-theorists, churches based upon these axioms, would be microcosms of the universe of God:

'... the little temples we make ought

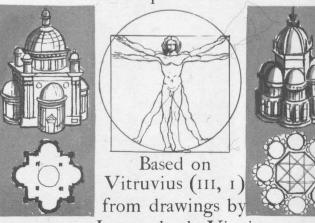
to resemble this very great one' (Palladio).

Marcus Vitruvius Pollio Vitruvius (edited by The Ten Books on Architecture Fra Giocondo) Roman architect & Venice, 1511 engineer 1st century B.C. double cube Ideal plans for churches (VII, 4) 'Of all these numbers. . Ten Books on (1:2 octave, diapason; Architecture 2:3 fifth, sesquialtera; Florence 1485 3:4 fourth, diatessaron) England 1726 . . . the architects make very convenient use' (IX, 5)

1404— Leon Battista Alberti— 1472
Florentine architect and theorist

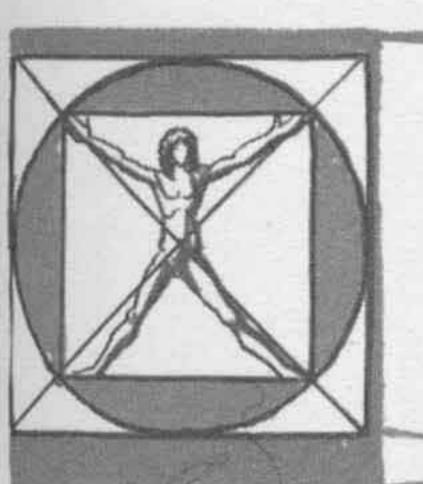


Sienese sculptor and architect



452—Leonardo da Vinci——I

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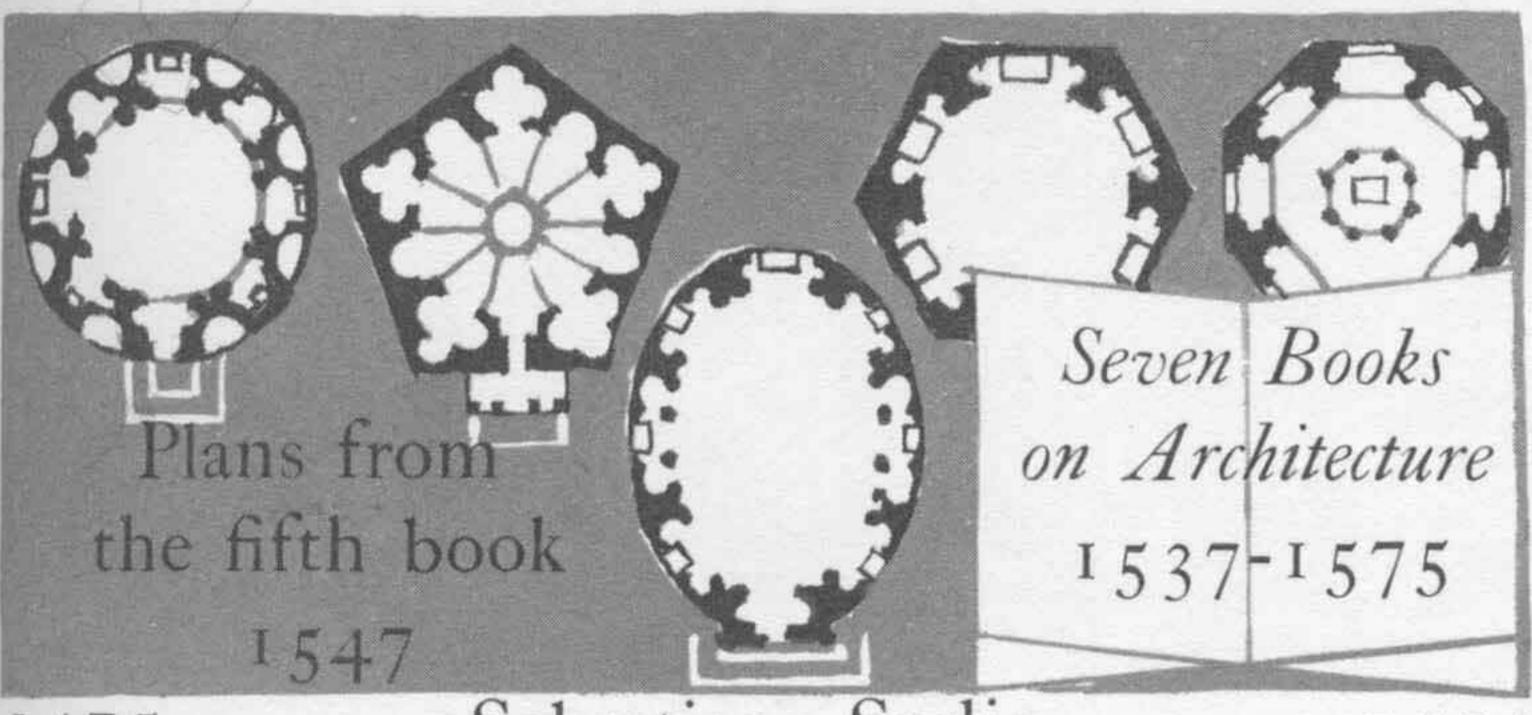


Vitruvius (edited by Cesarino), Como, 1521

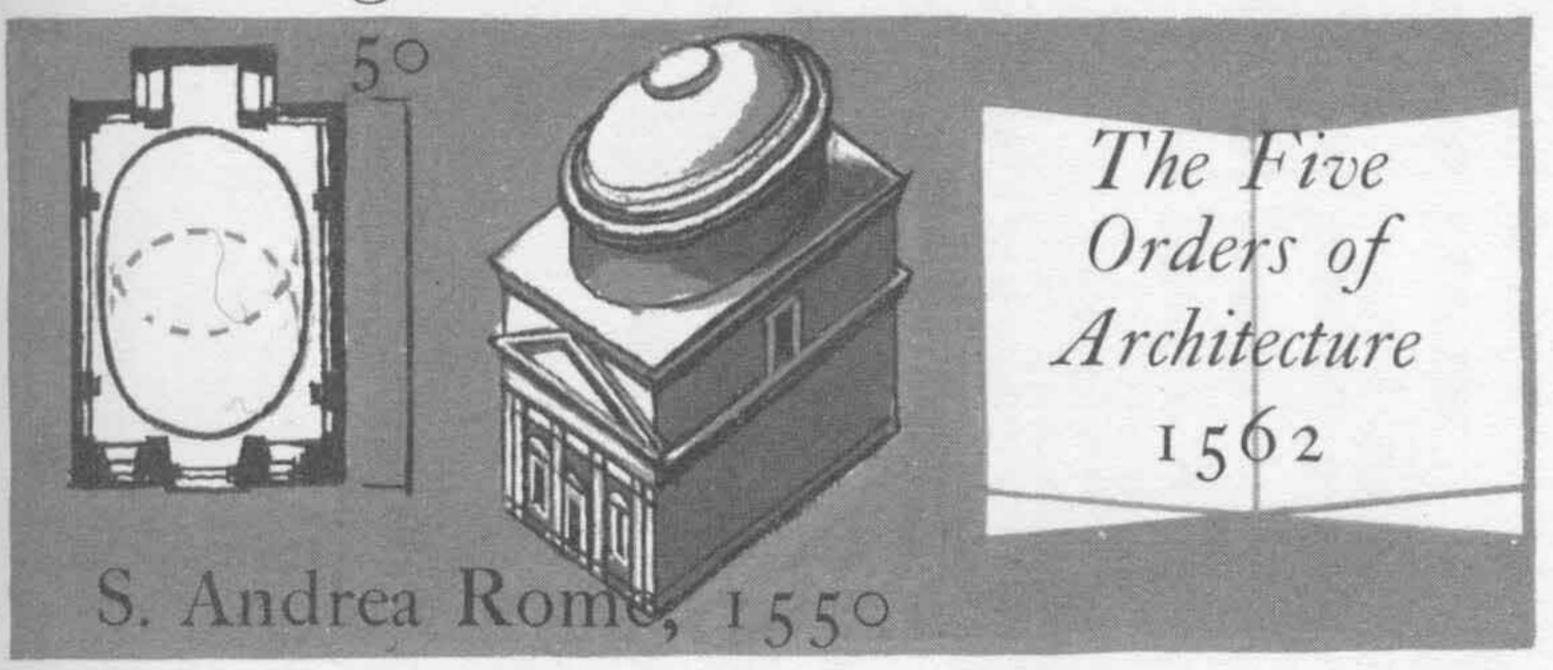
Vitruvius
(edited by Barbaro,
illustrated by Palladio),
Venice, 1556

Architecture de Vitruve ou Art de bien bâtir mis en français Jean Martin 1546

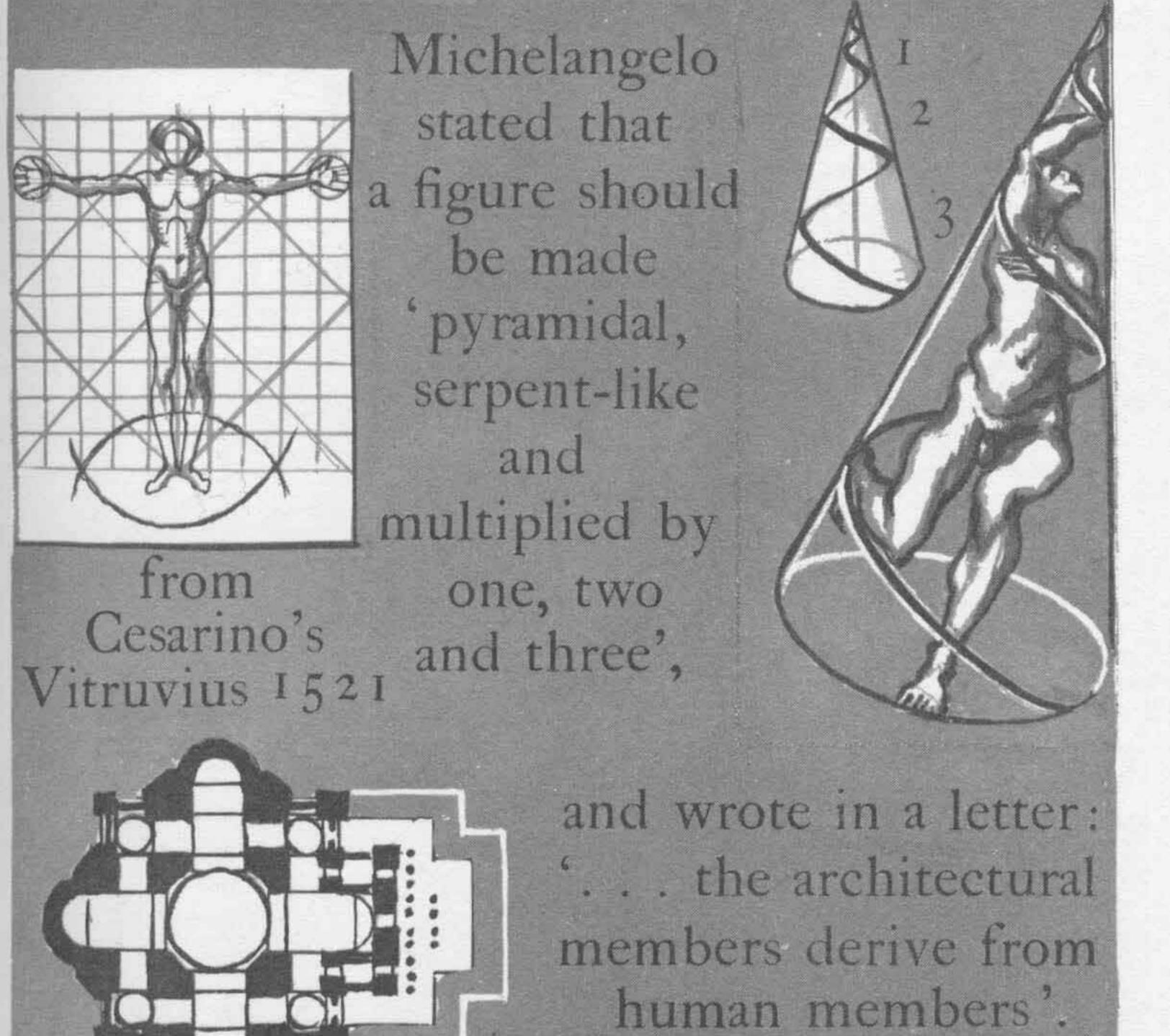
Vitruvius First English translation 1692



Born Bologna. Architect, worked in France



1507 — Giacomo Barazzo Da Vignola — 1573

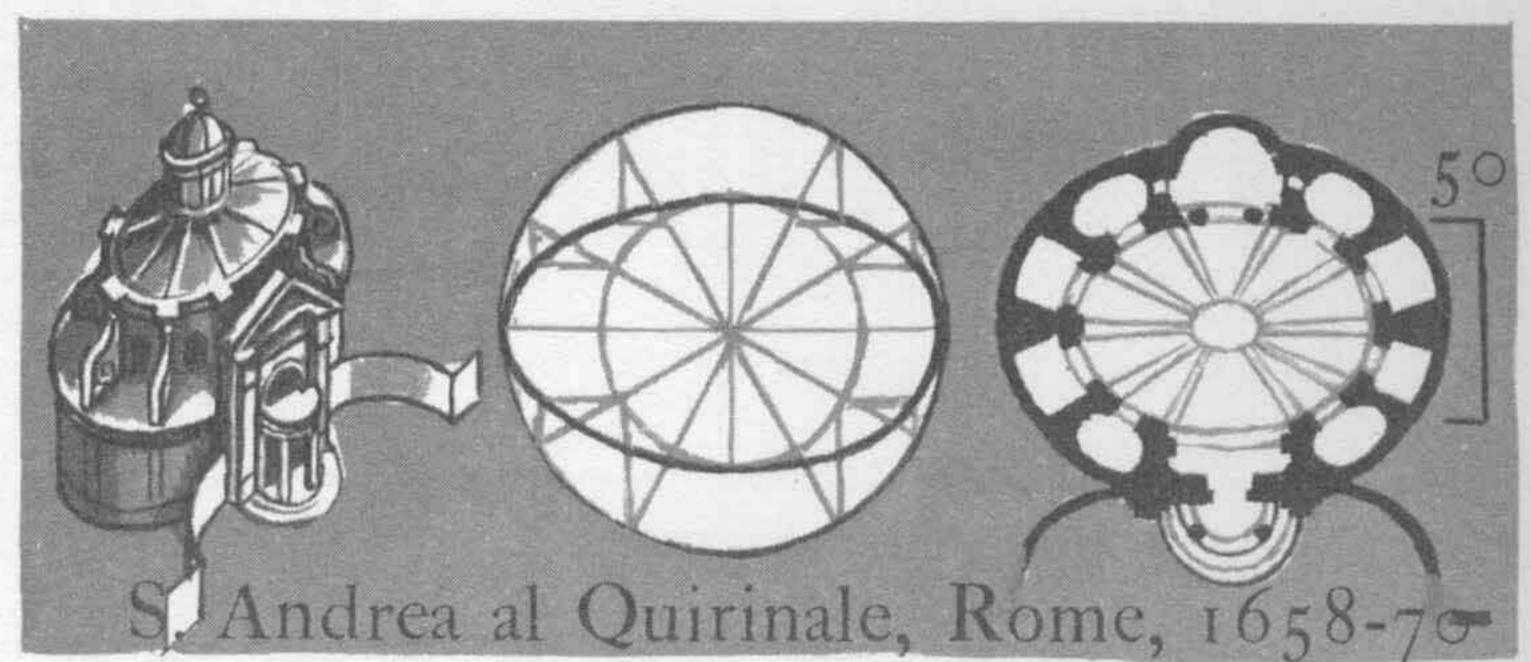


1475—Michelangelo—1564

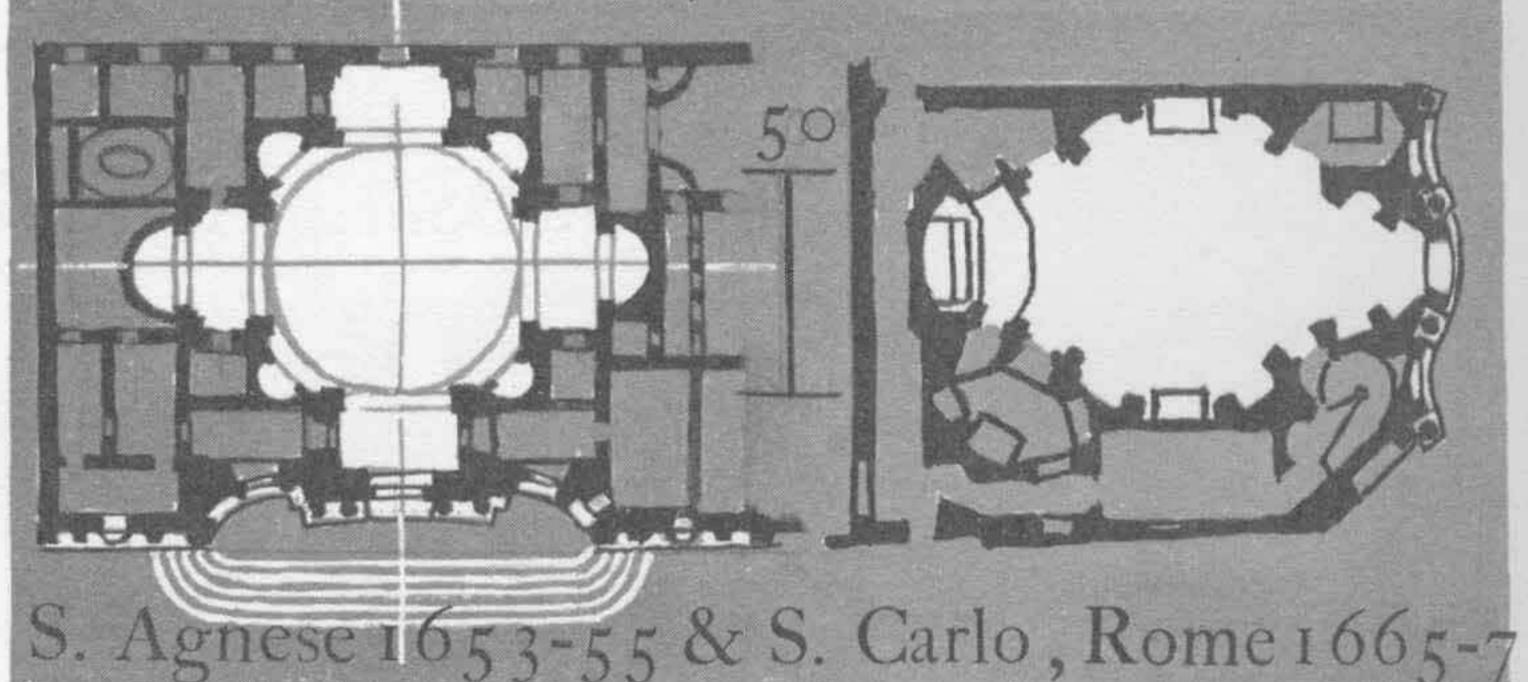
1508—Andrea Palladio (pp. 128-9)—1580

St Peter's, Rome, 1506

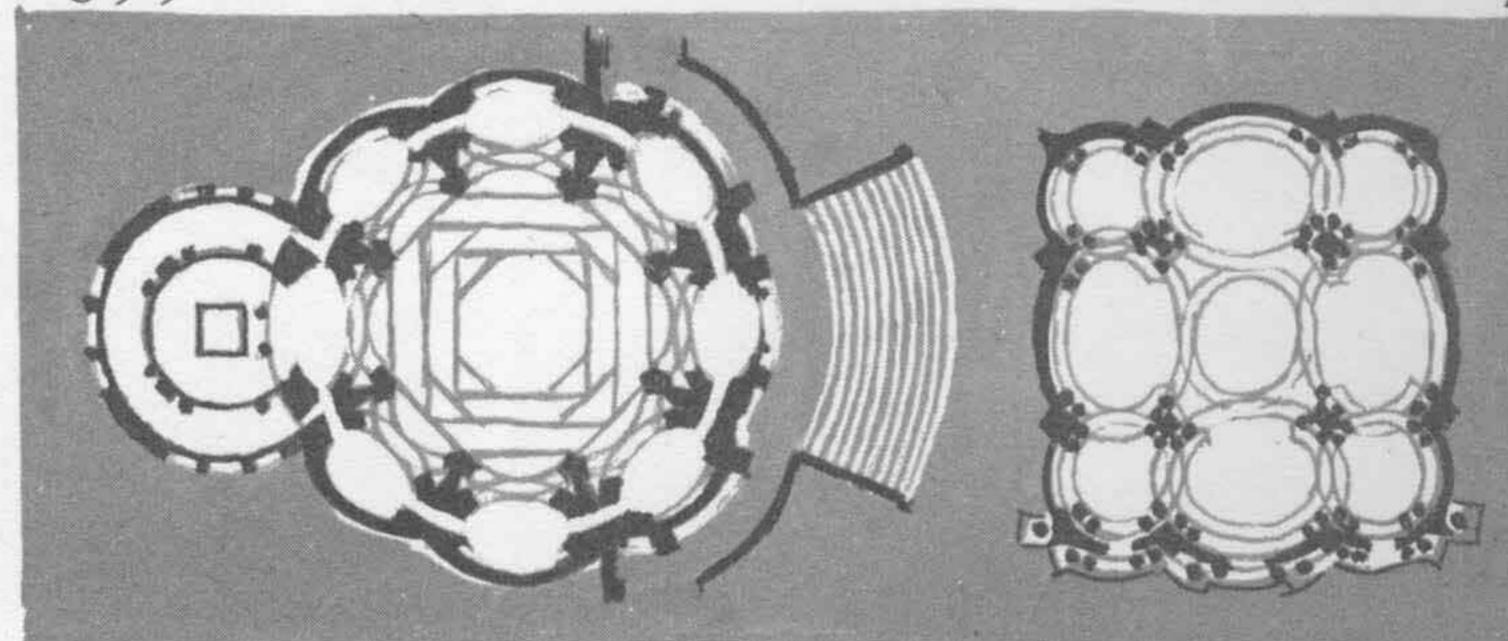
In Baroque churches musical ratios were resolved into an orchestration of visual forces comparable to the fugue, & measured by the eye and the mind of the beholder

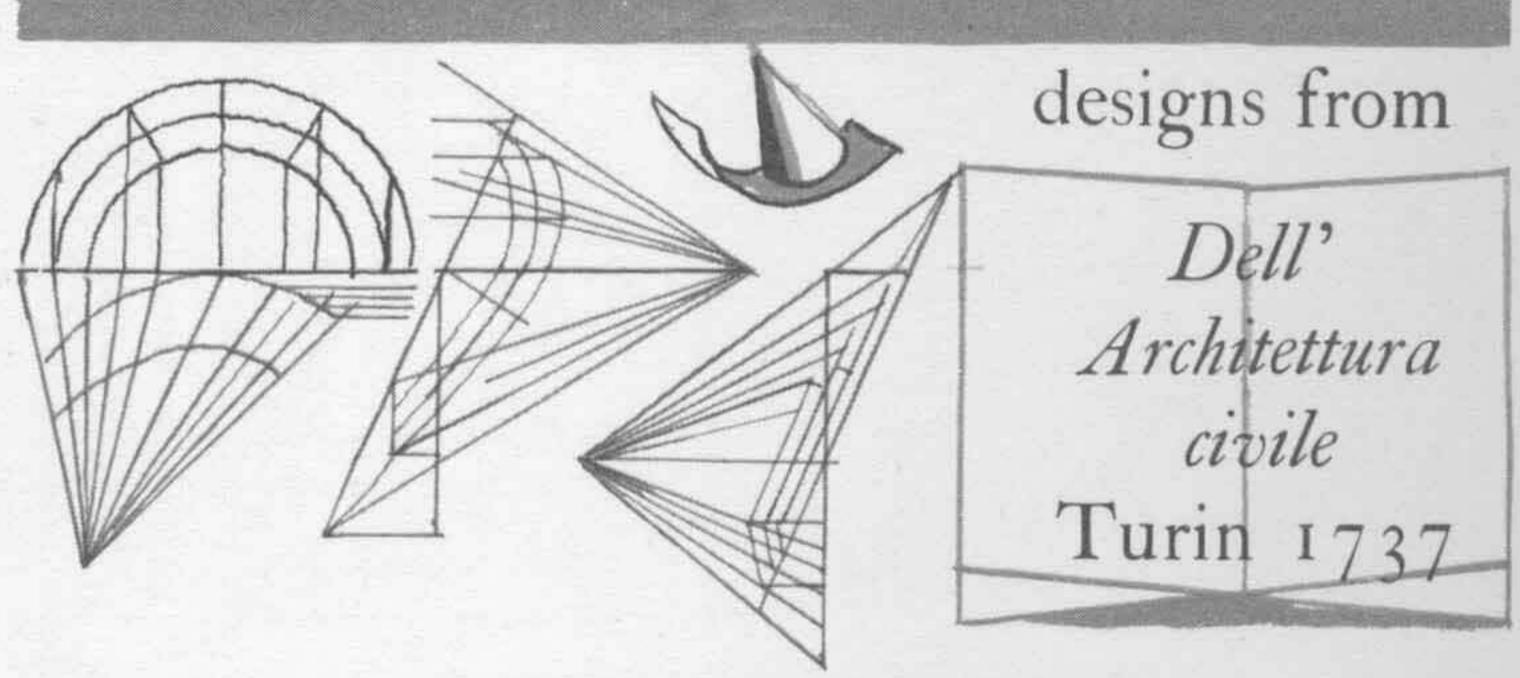


1598— Giovanni Lorenzo Bernini—1680 sculptor and architect

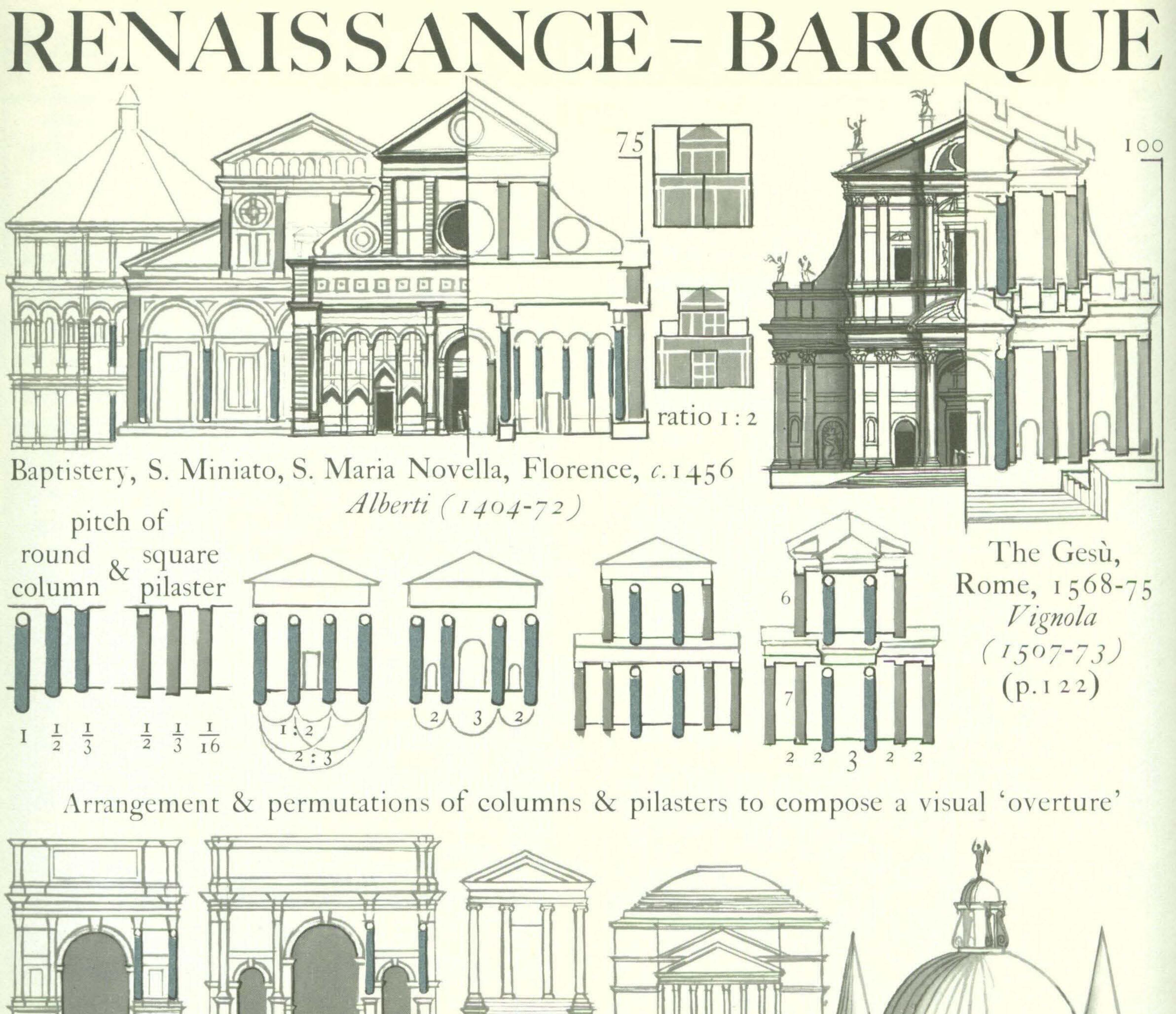


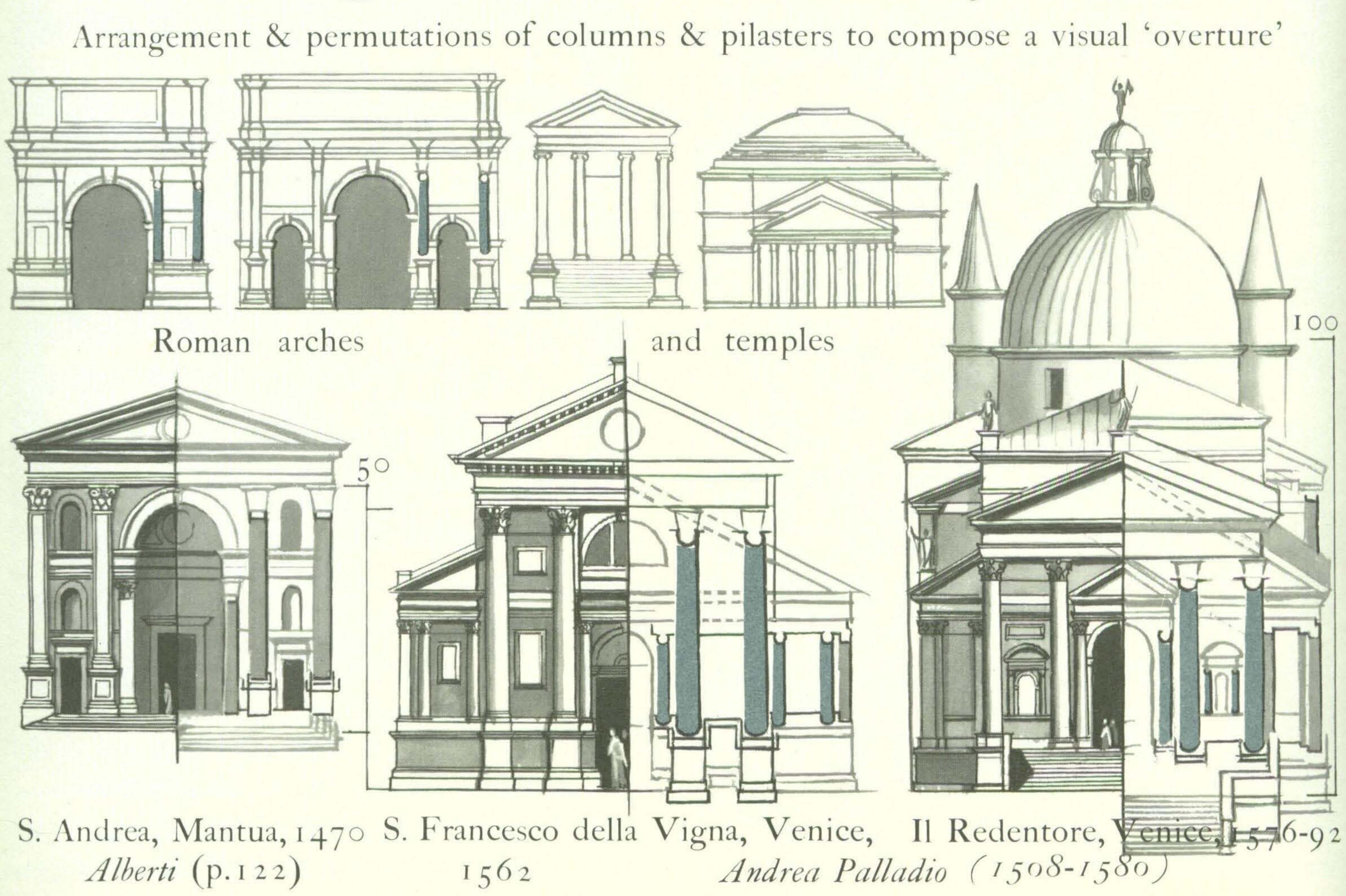
1599— Francesco Borromini—— 1667

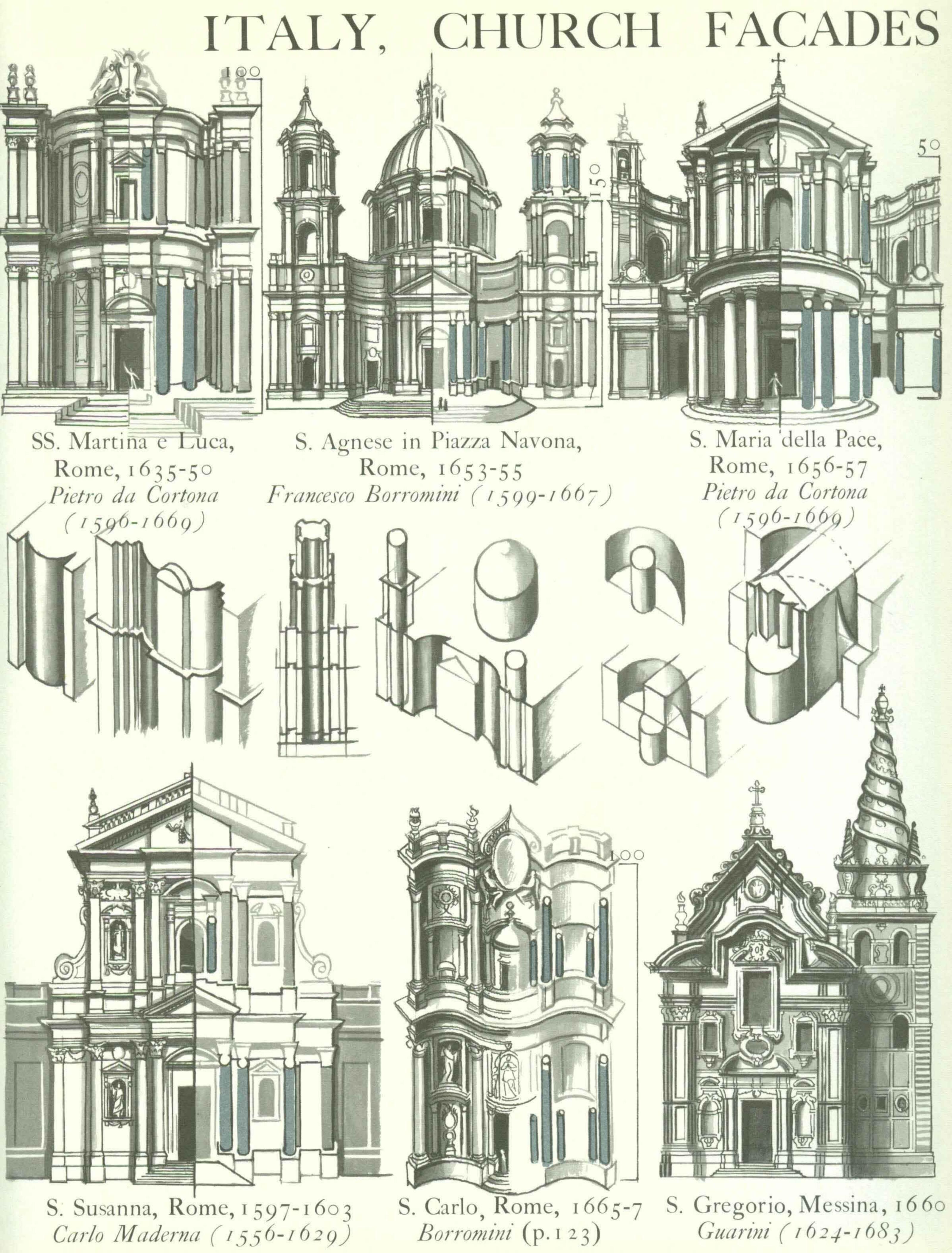


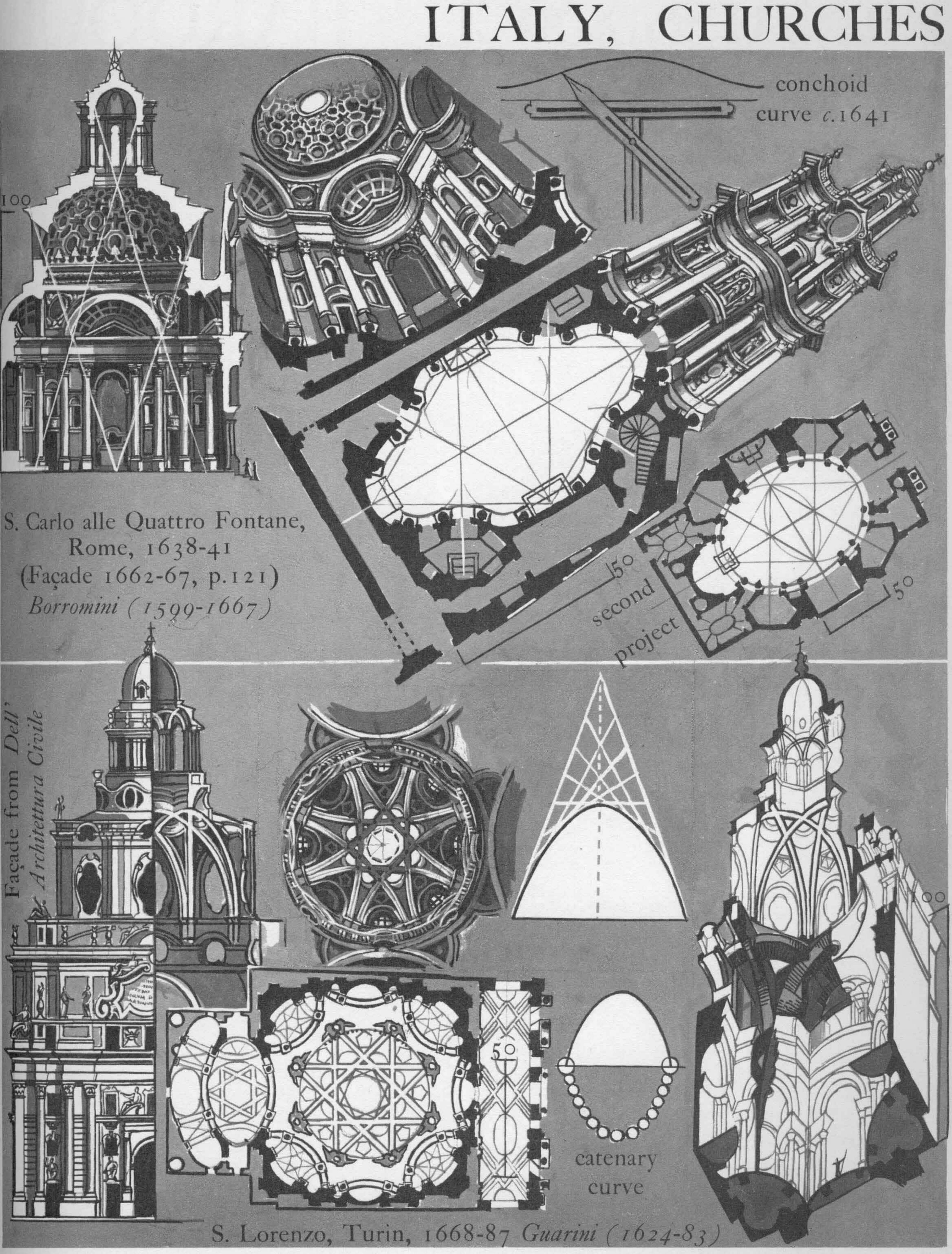


1624——Guarino Guarini ———1683 mathematician & architect, mostly at Turin

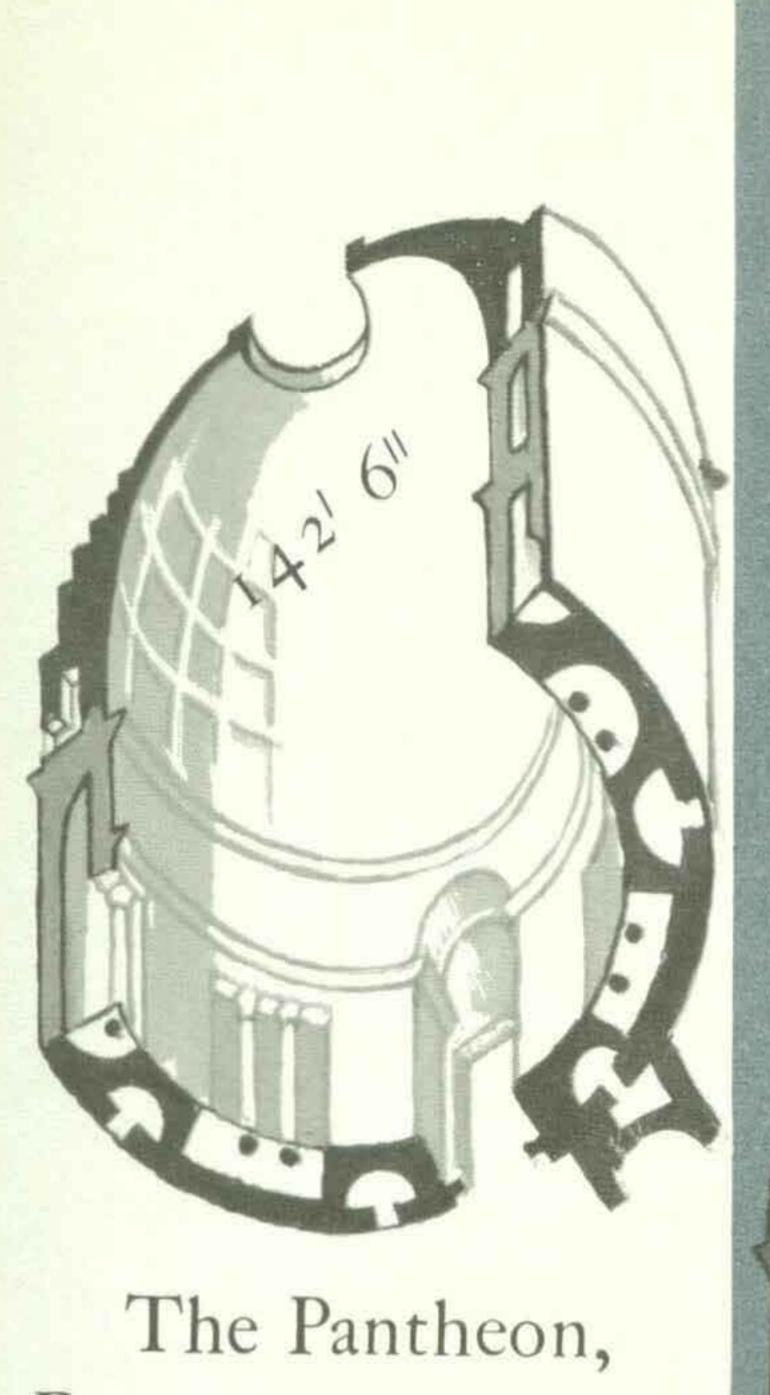




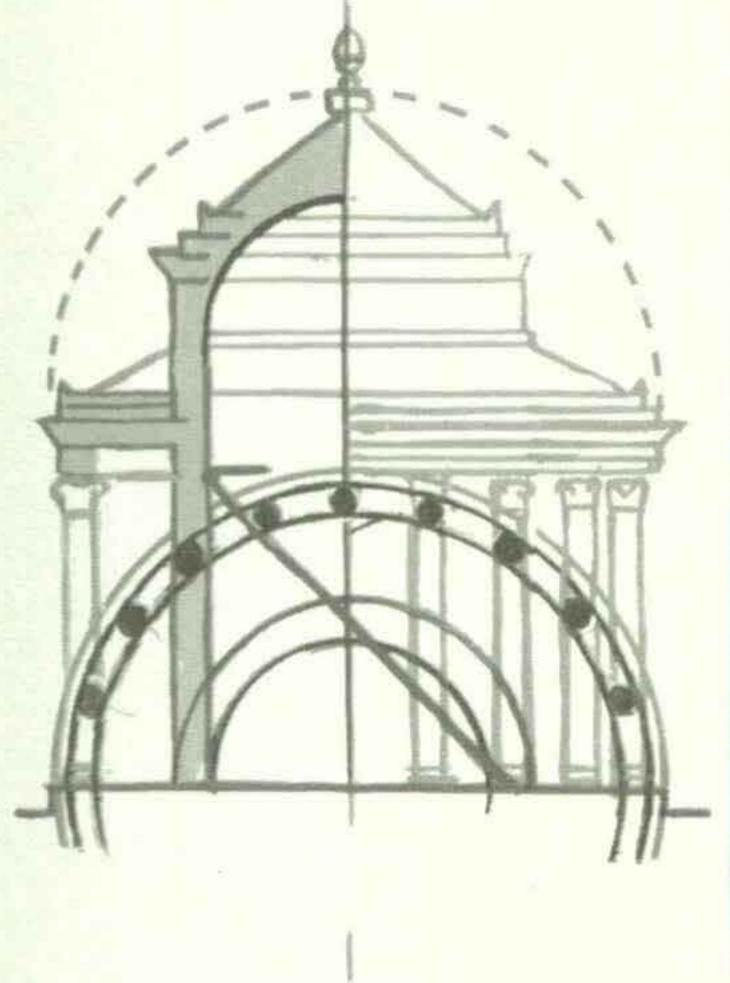




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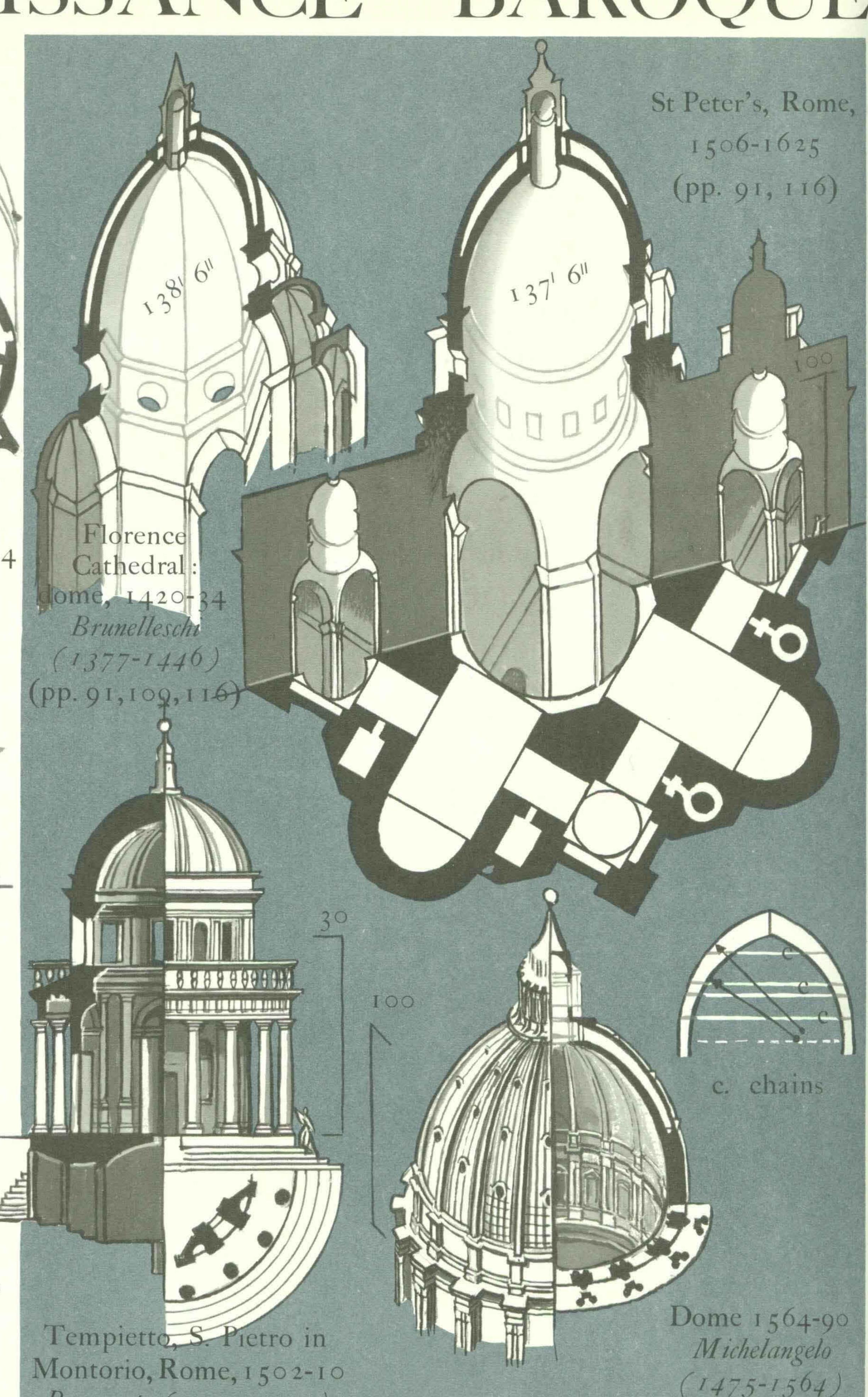


Rome, A.D. 120-124

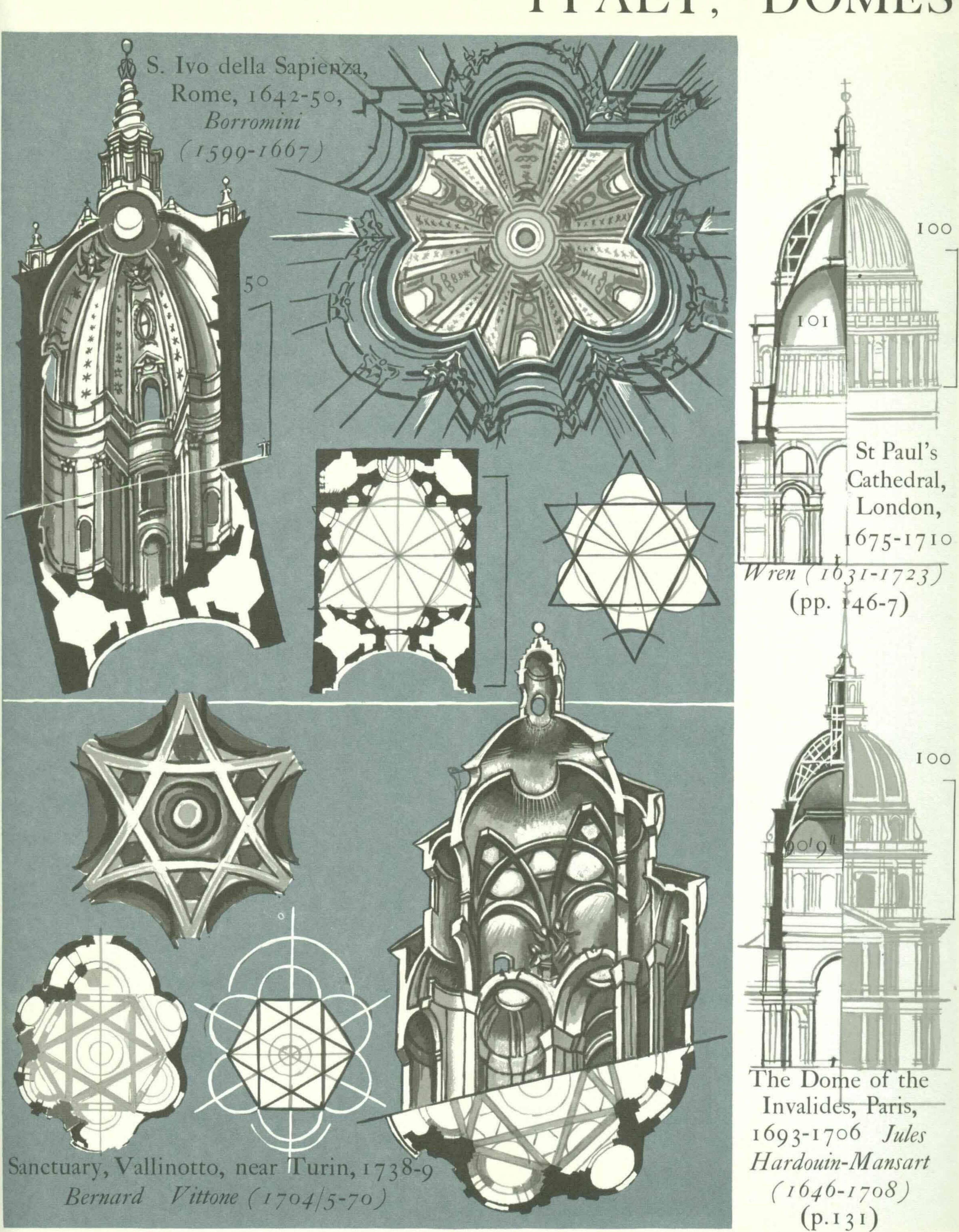


Circular temples, Vitruvius (IV, 9)

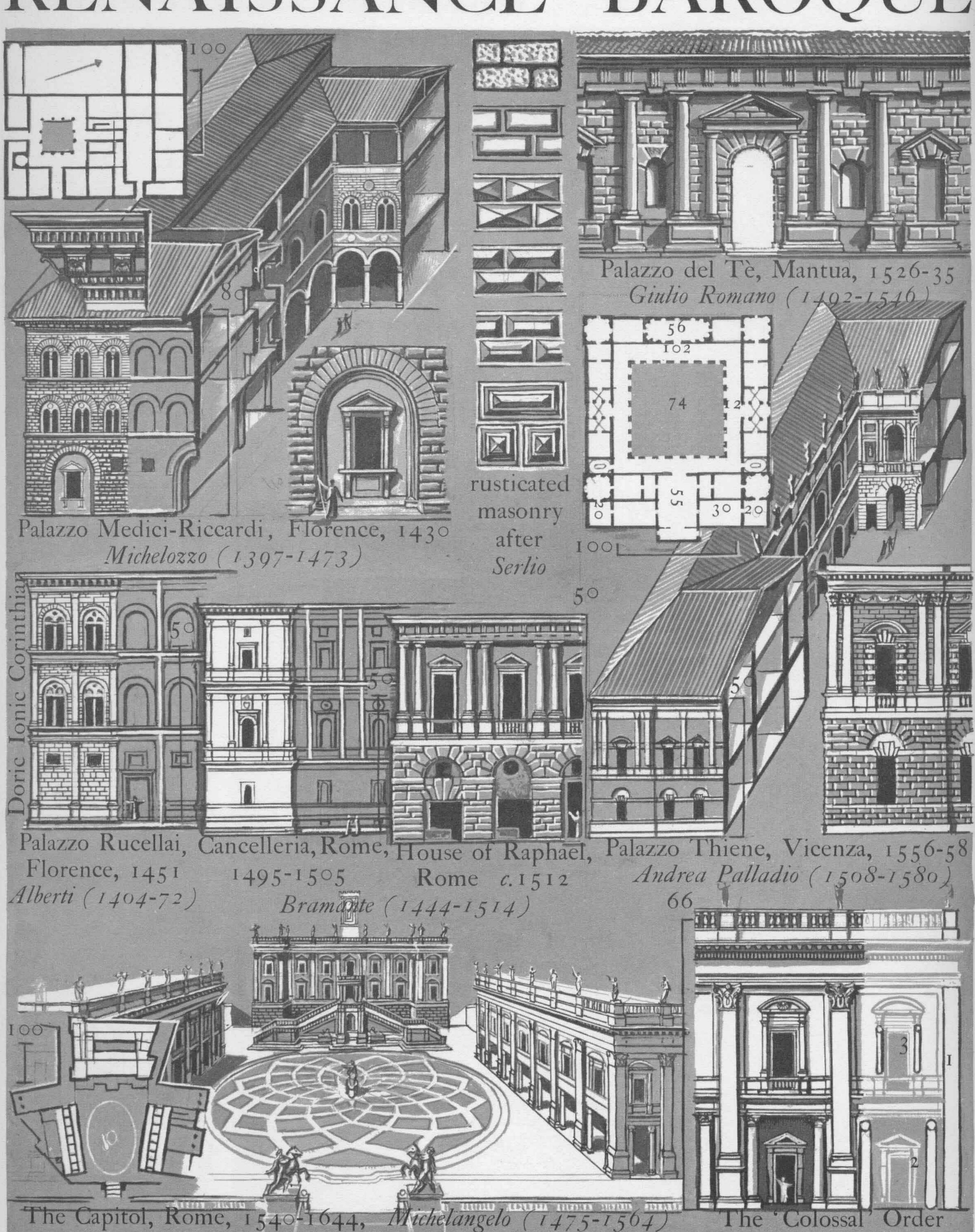
Bramante (1444-1514)



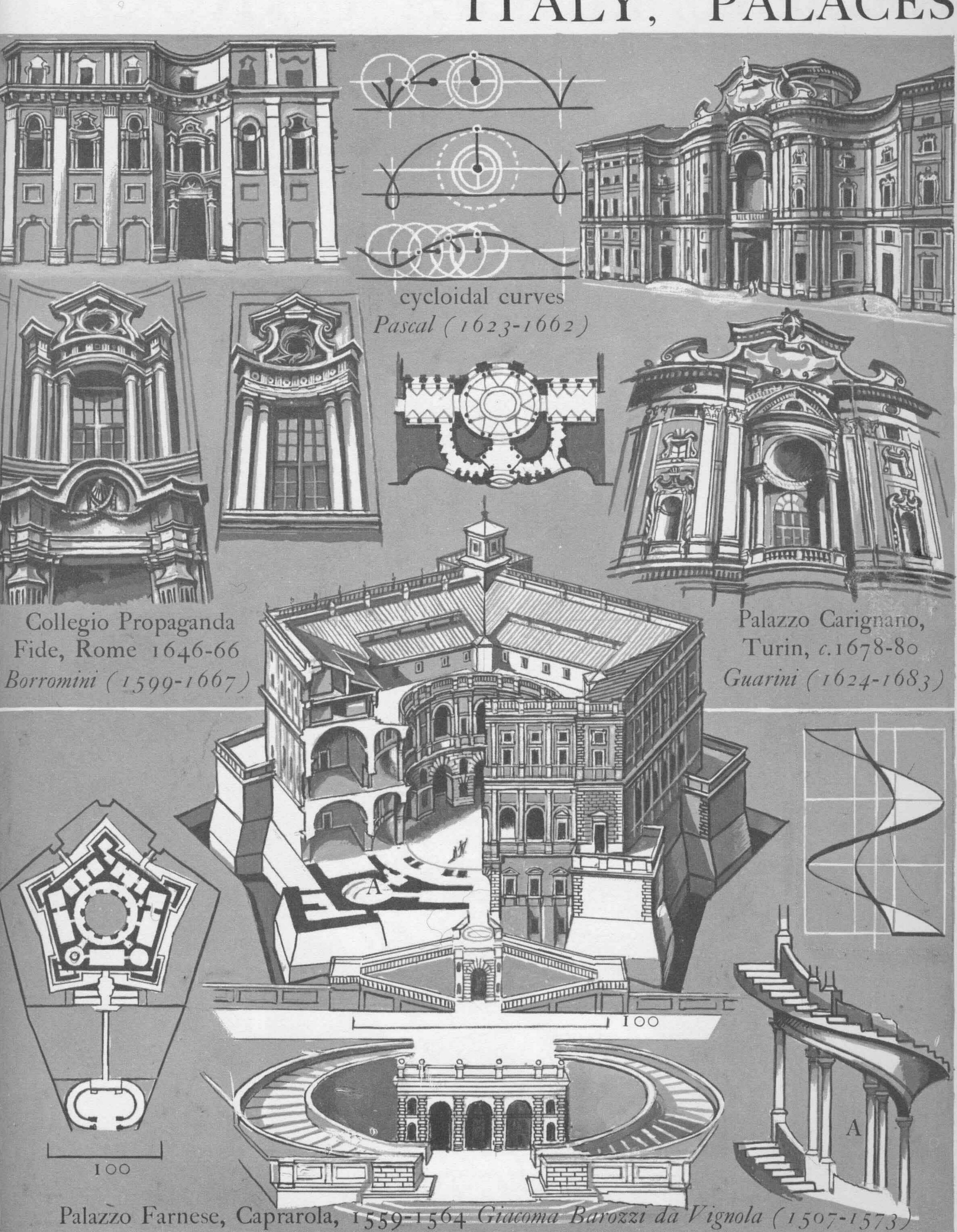
ITALY, DOMES



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ITALY, PALACES

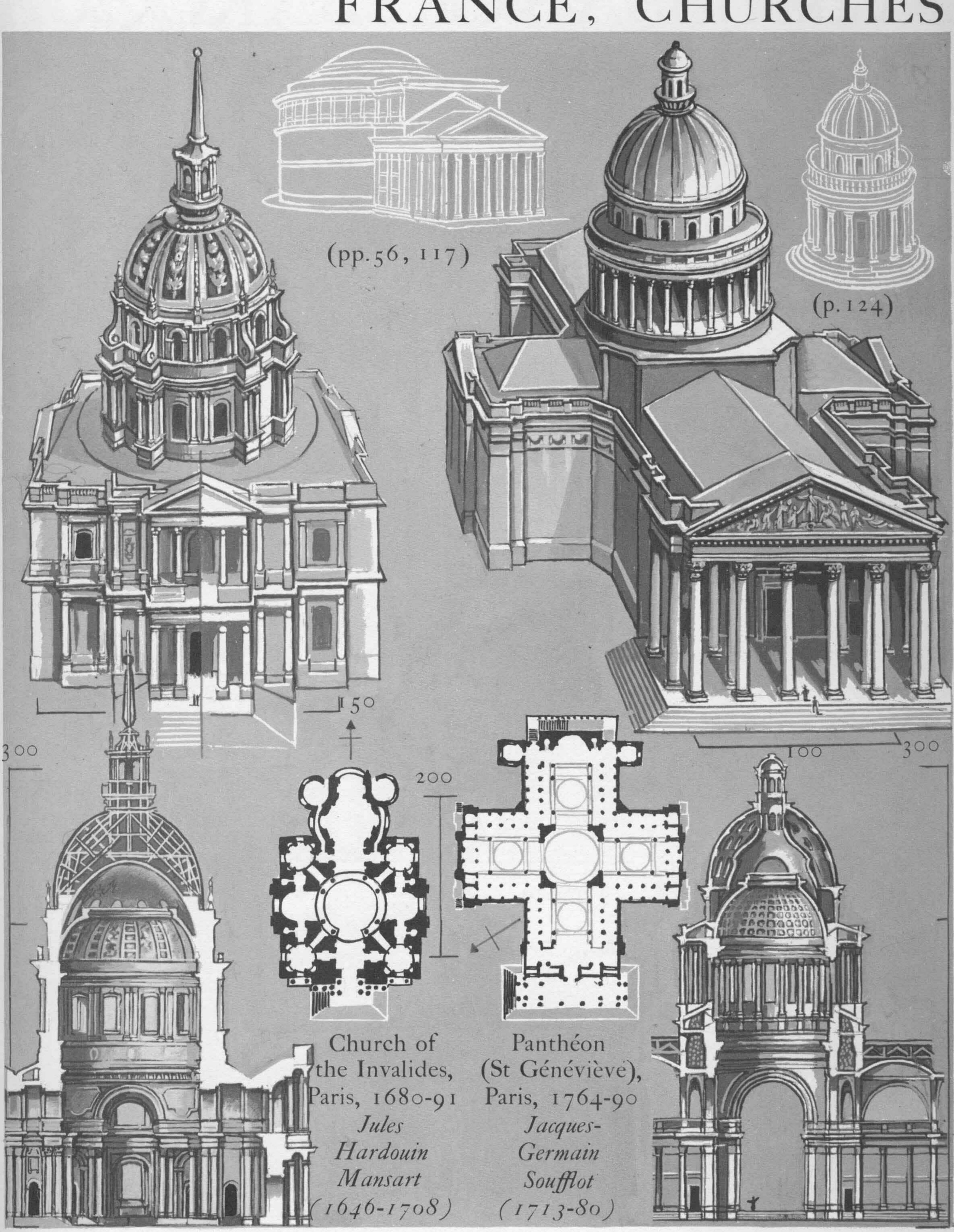


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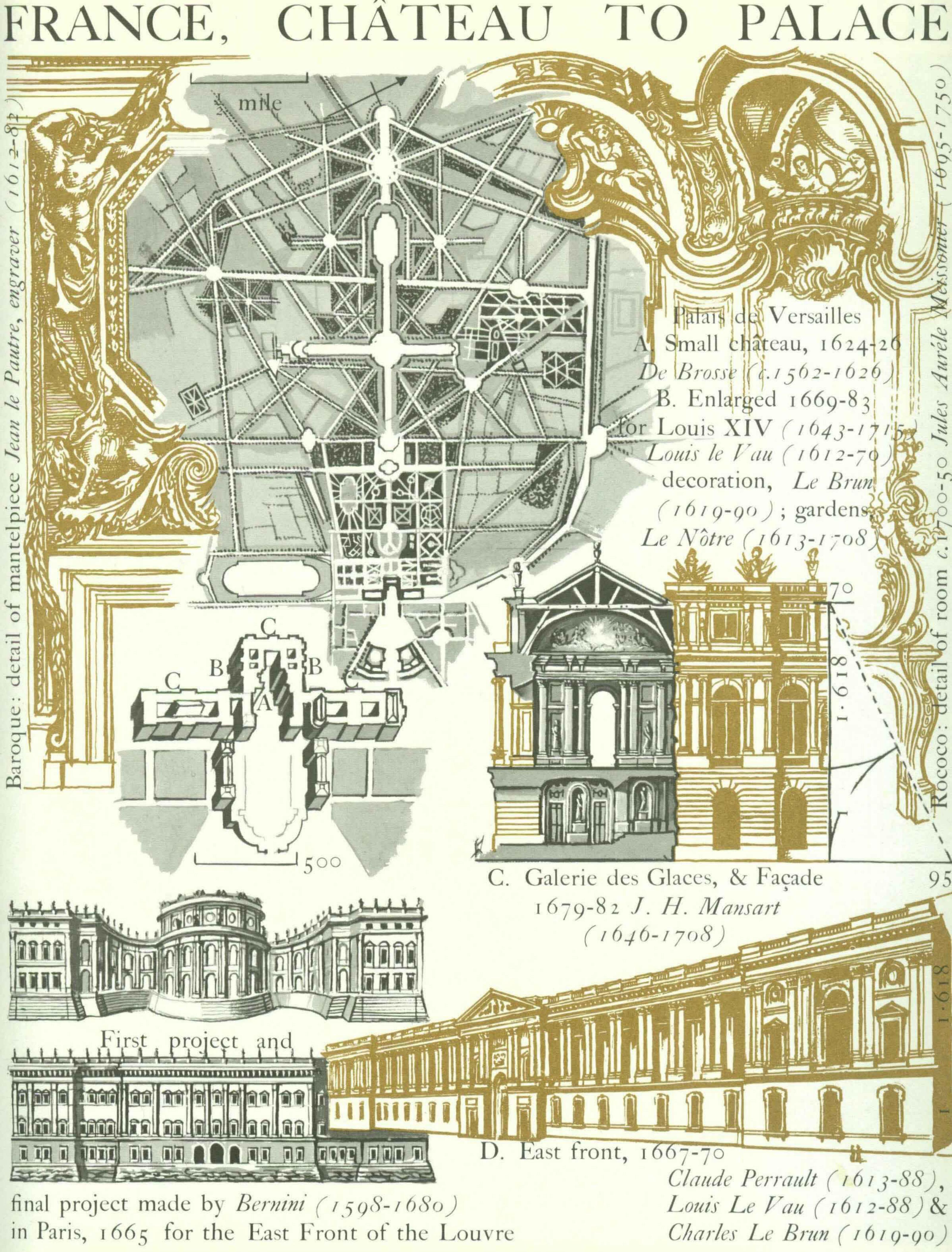


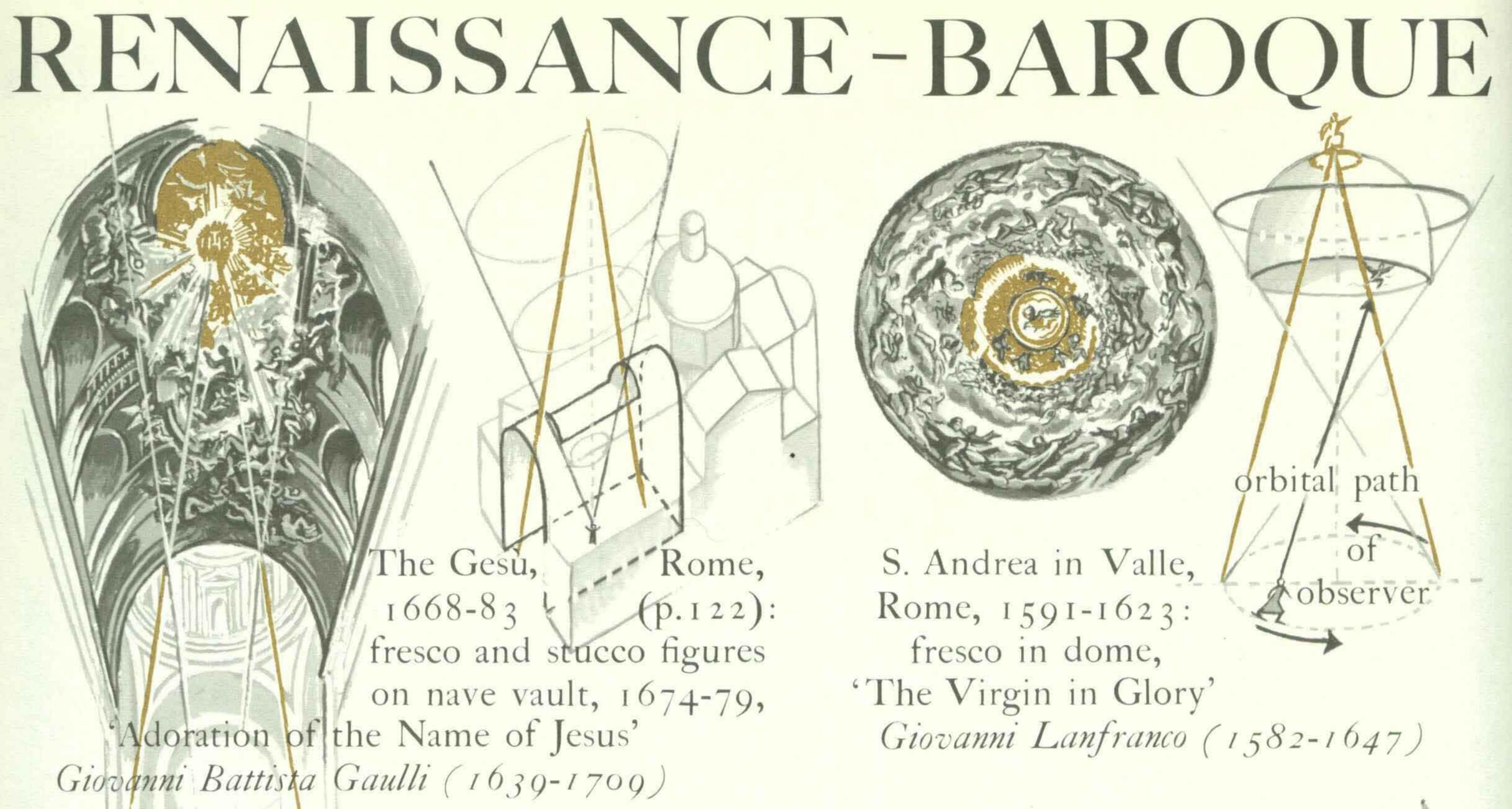
The Italian campaigns of the French Kings, Charles VIII (1483-98), Louis XII (1498-1515) and Francis I (1515-47), failed in their aims; instead France was invaded by the ideas and the arts of the Italian Renaissance.

FRANCE, CHURCHES

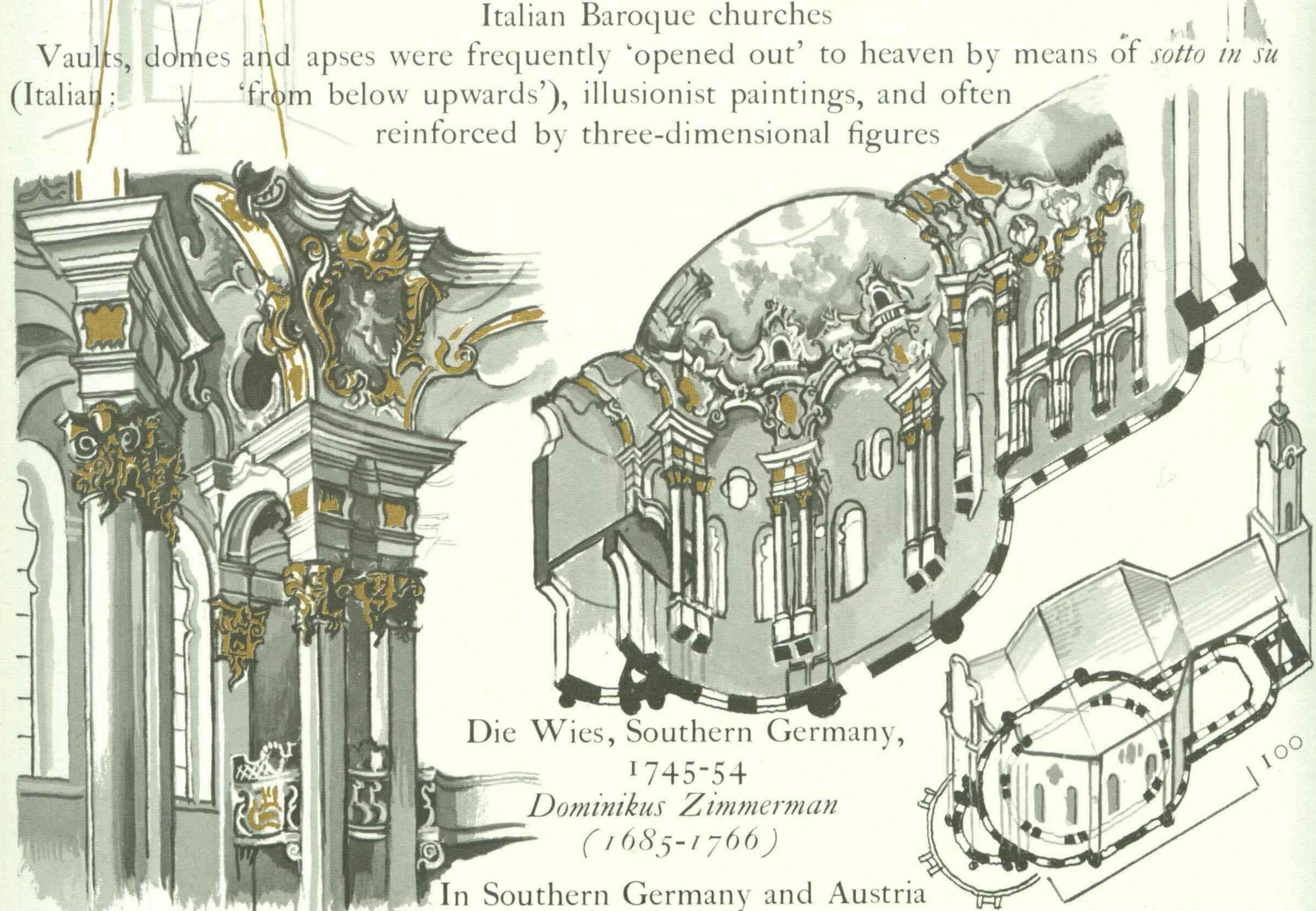


RENAISSANCE-BAROQUE Château de Maisons, 1642-46 Château François Mansart de Chambord, (1598-1666) 1519-1547 100 Jacques du Cerceau 1600-09 (0.1550-1614) (Remodelled Palais des Tuileries, 1860-65) 1564-1680 (Destroyed 1871) Course du Vieux Palais du Louvre, Central pavilion, 1570-1592 Louvre, begun 1546 Philibert de l'Orme (c.1515-1570) Paris, 1546-1878 Pierre Lescot (c.1510-78)

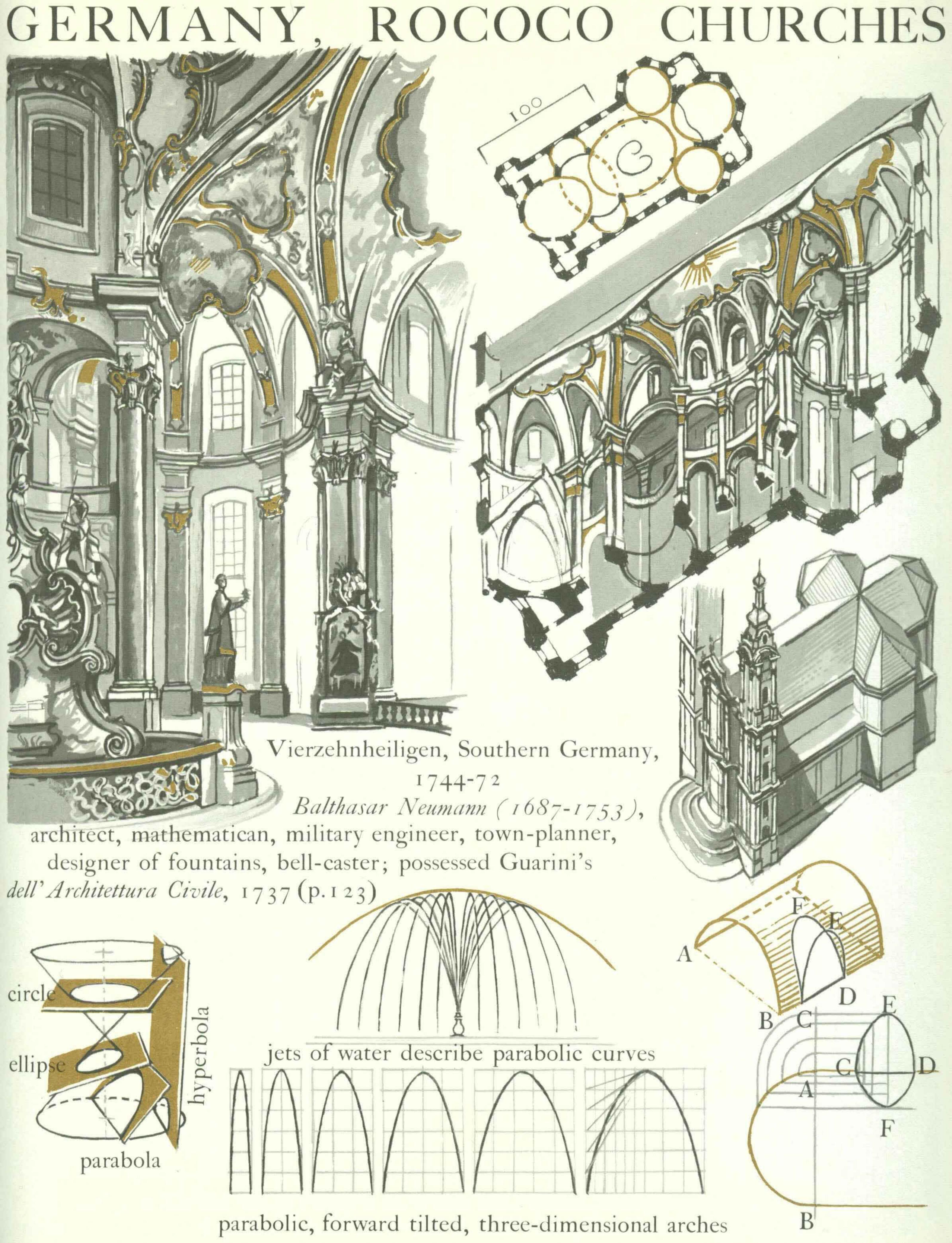




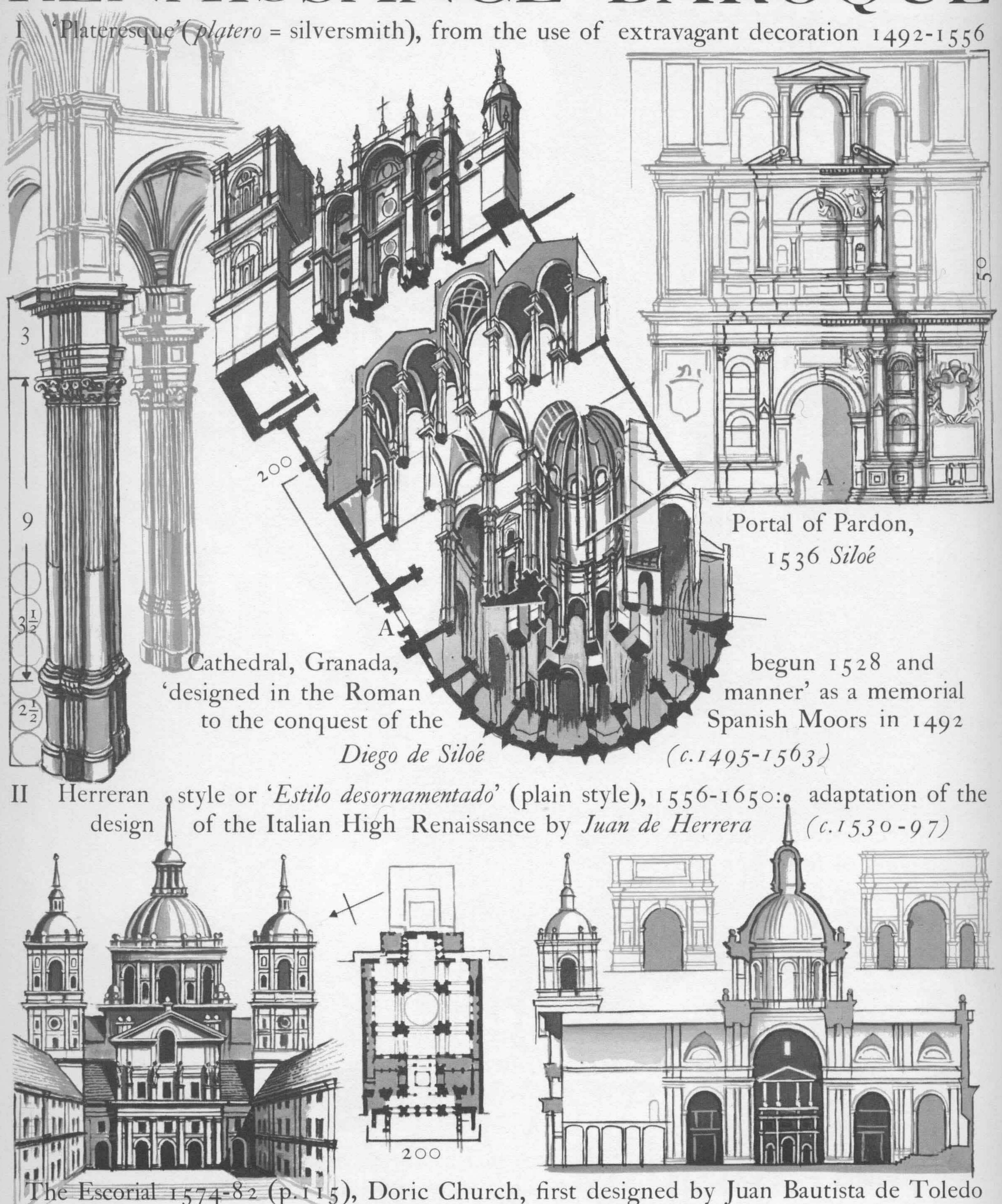
Italian Baroque churches



many Jesuit Baroque churches were built in the style of the Gesù (p. 122). The Thirty Years' War (1618-48) was followed by a resurgence of church-building in which all the arts—architecture, sculpture, painting and music—were fused into Rococo.



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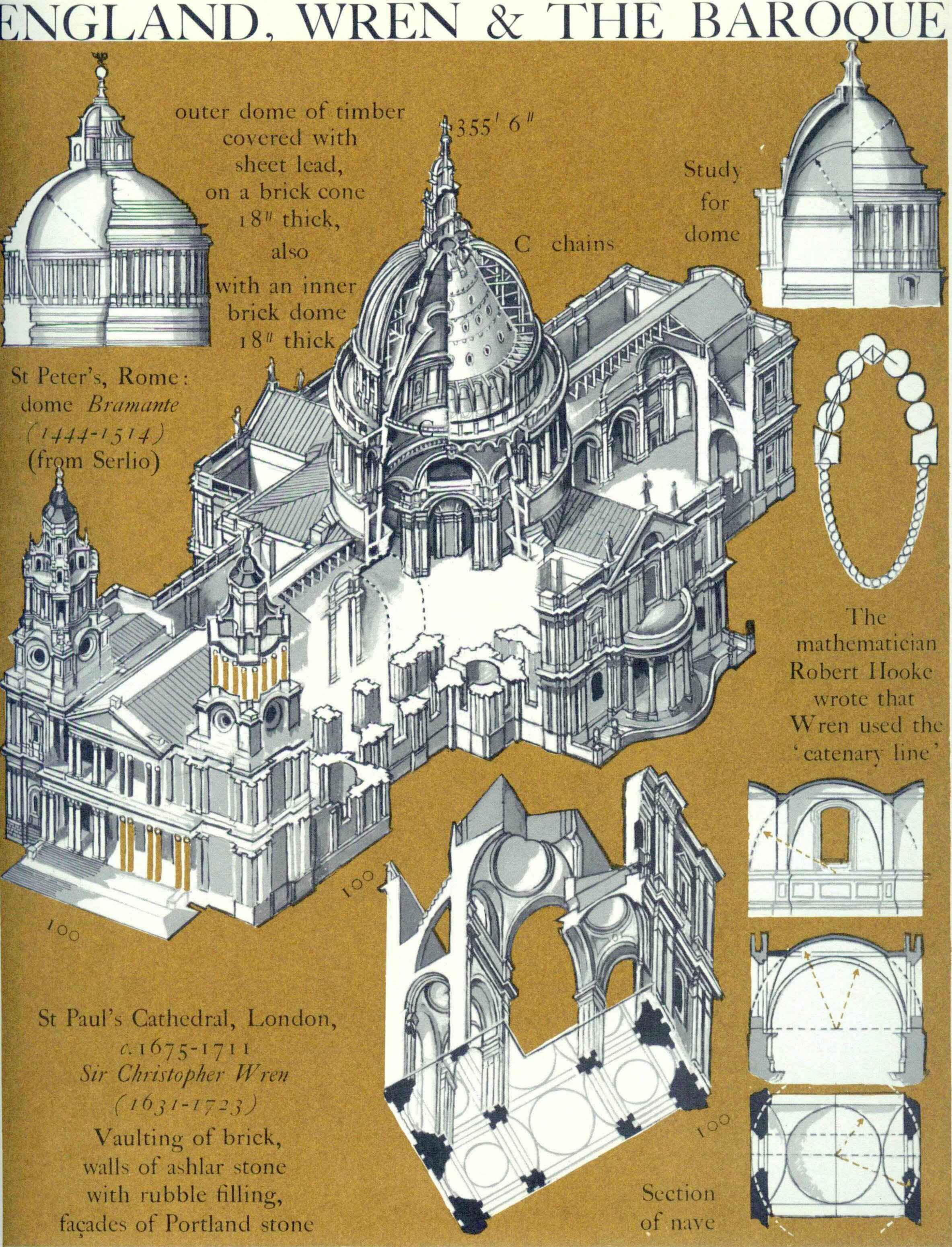
(d. 1567), philosopher and mathematician, who worked under Michelangelo;

redesigned by Juan de Herrera (c.1530-97) built in yellow-grey granite, in 2:3 ratios

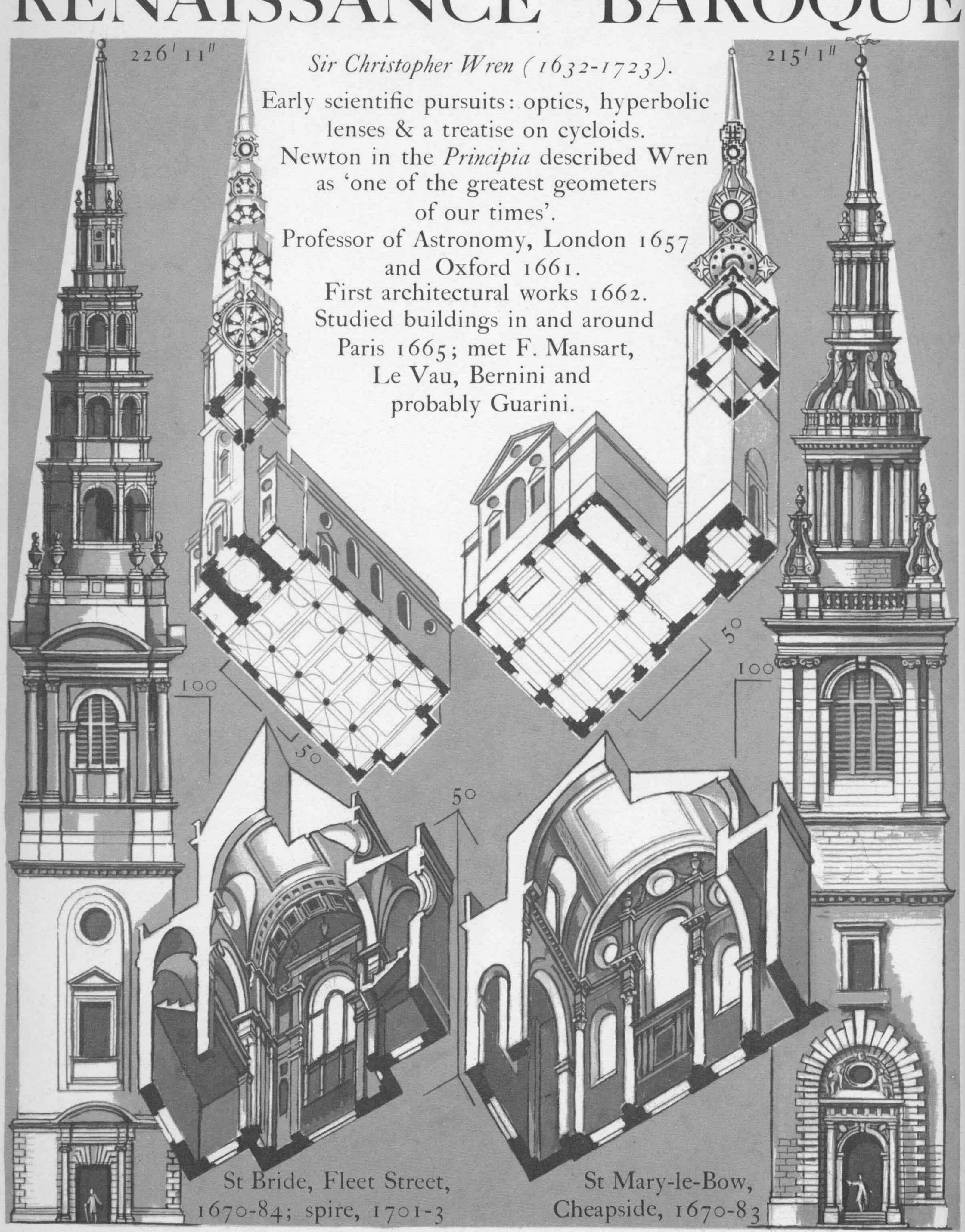


RENAISSANCE - BAROQUE Basilica of Constantine Pre-Fire Design for Old St Paul's, a domed crossing, destroyed in The Pantheon Design | Palladio 'in a Latine Astyle' the Great Fire, 1666 c. 1668-69 1666 Centralized designs 'after a Roman manner' remote from 'the Gothick rudeness of ye old Design'. The chapter 'thought the model not enough of a cathedral fashion', and a longitudinal plan, based on I the Latin Cross, was adopted. The Great Greek Cross Design, c. 1672 Model, 1673 plans The Warrant Design, before 1675

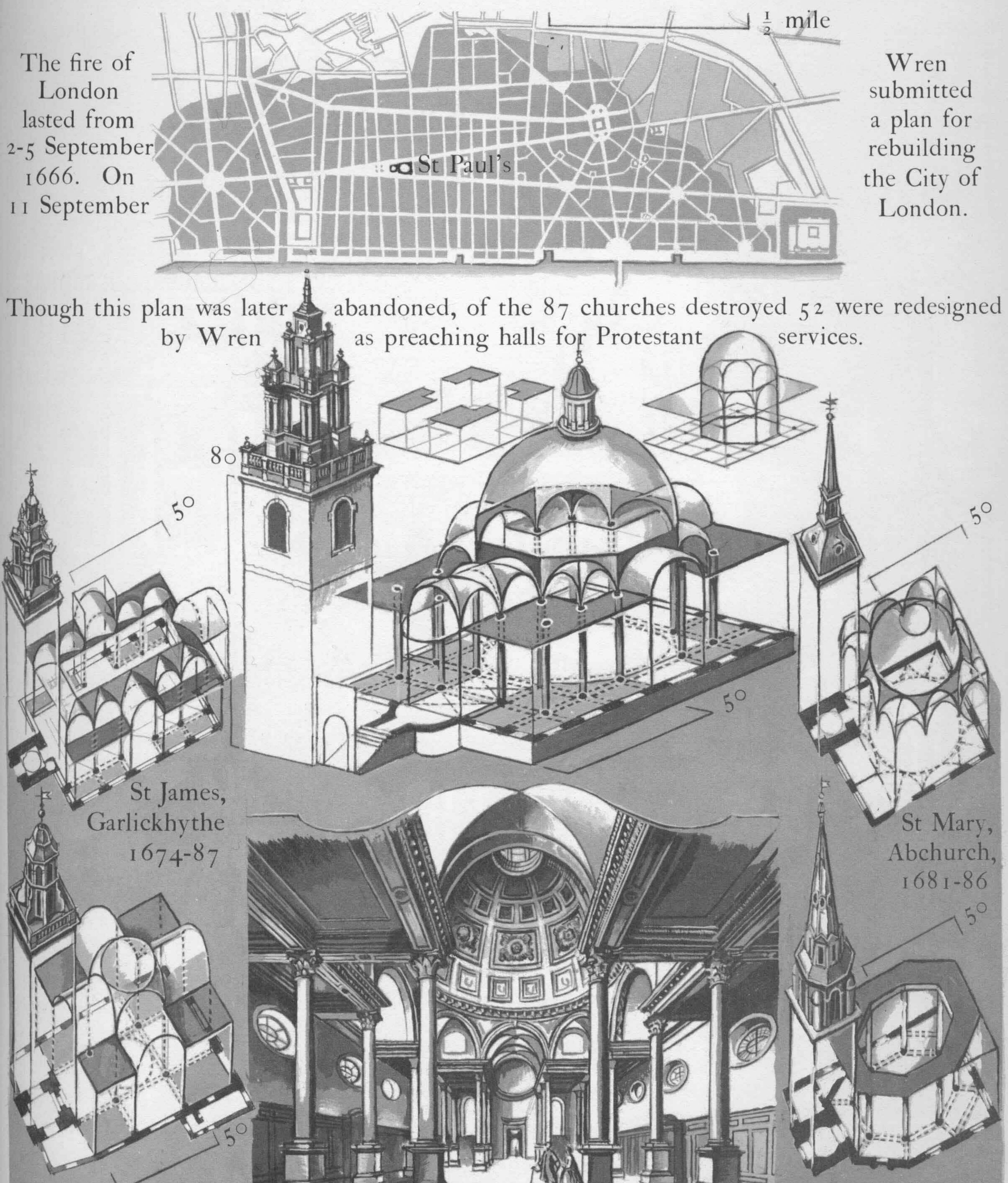
Projects for St Paul's Cathedral, London, by Sir Christopher Wren



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ENGLAND, WREN'S CITY CHURCHES



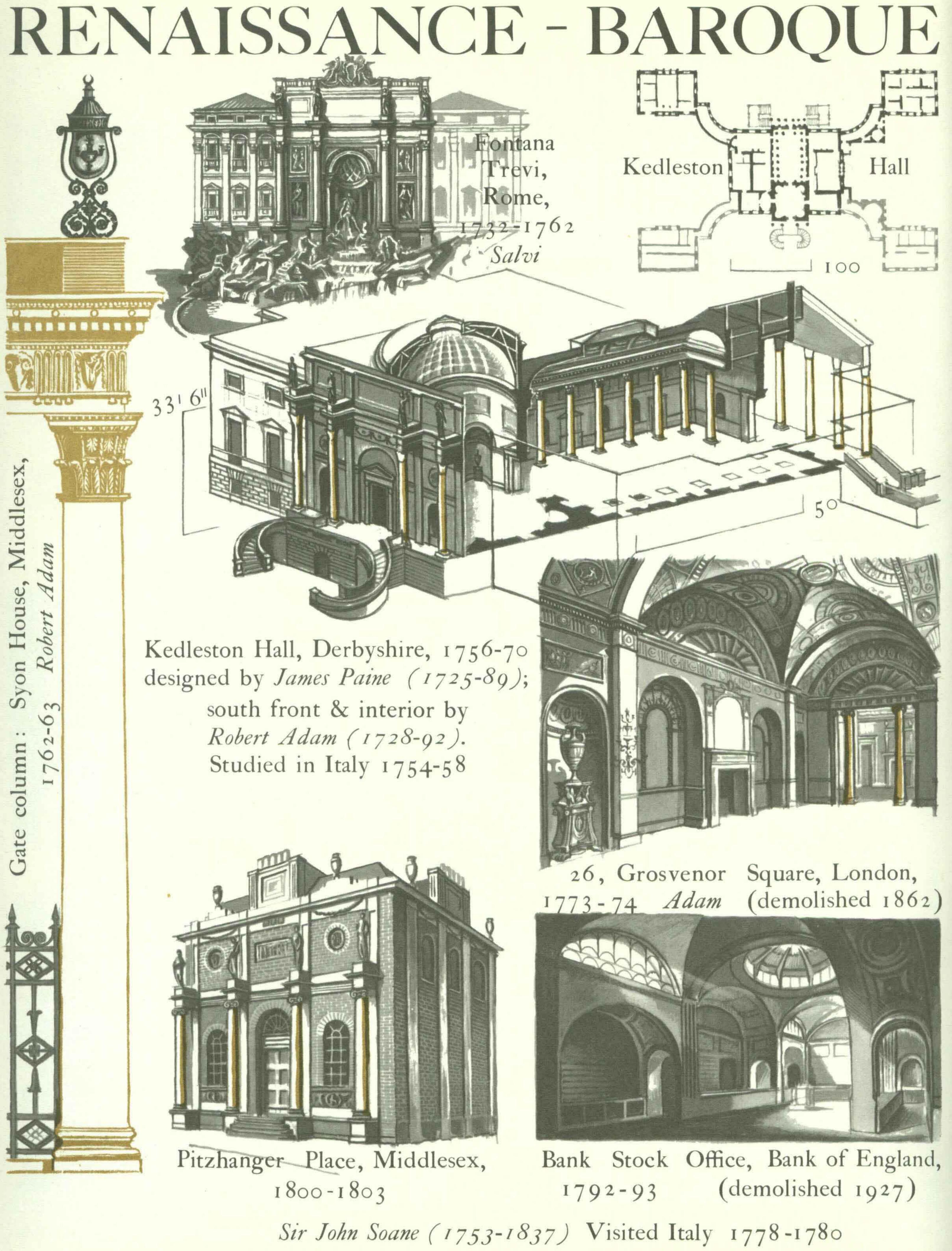
St Stephen, Walbrook, 1672-77

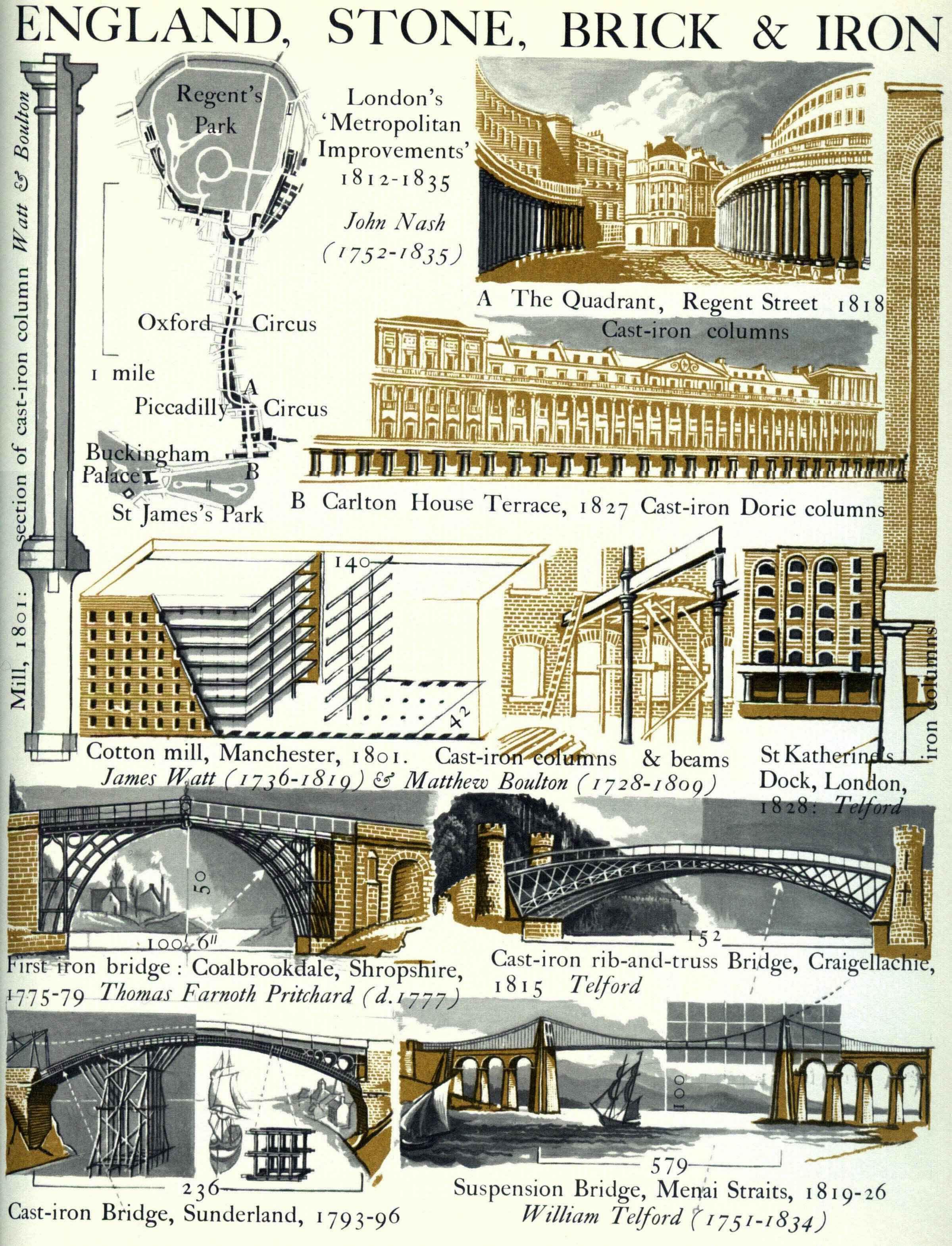
St Mary-at-Hill,

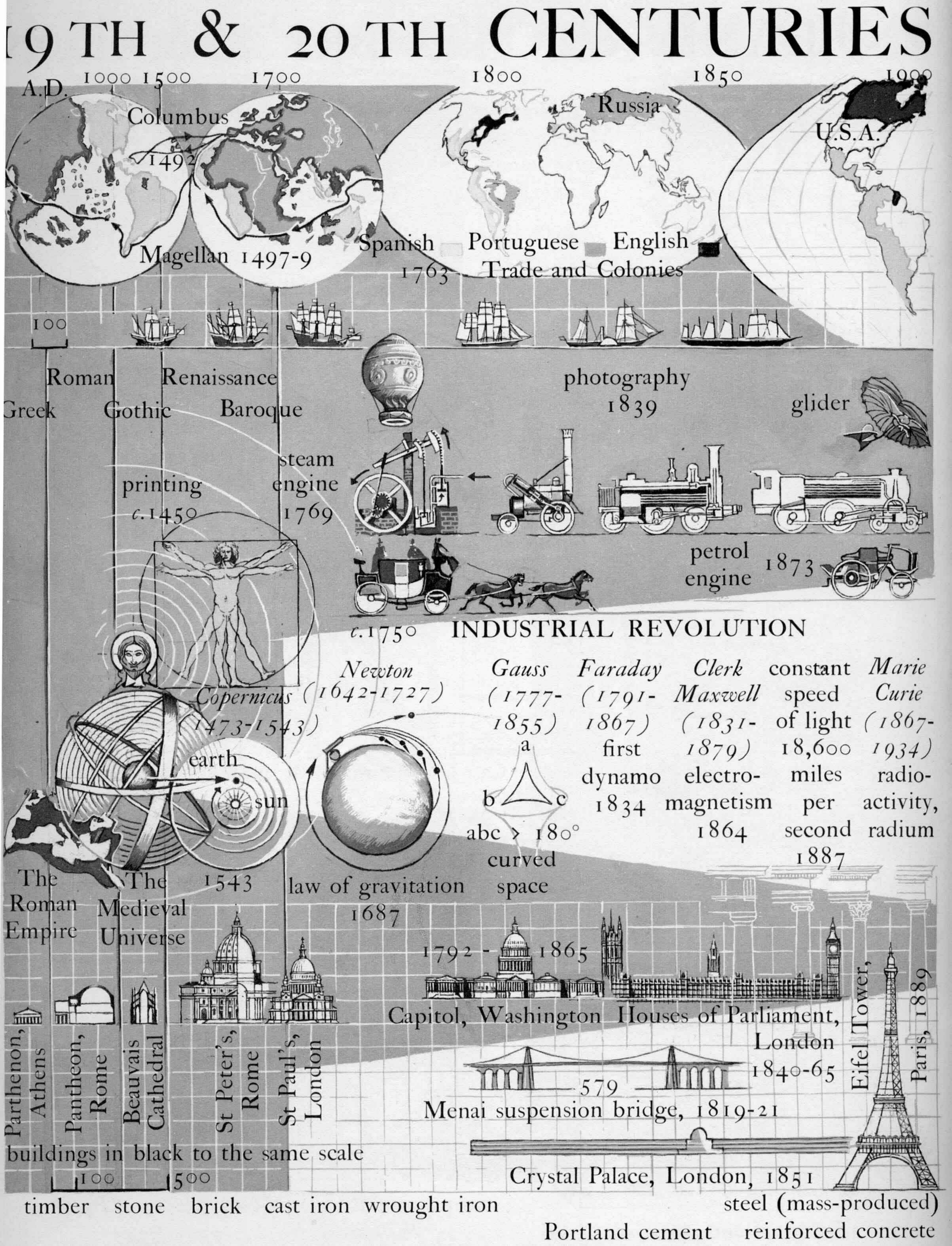
1670-76

St Antholin, 1682

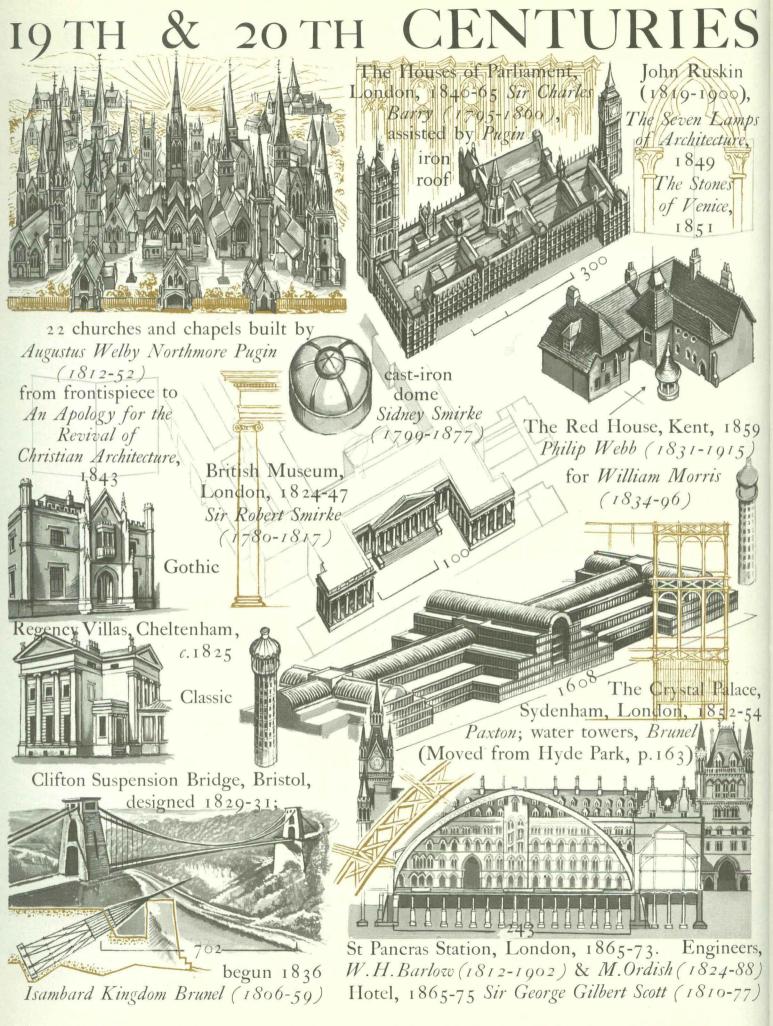
(Demolished 1874)

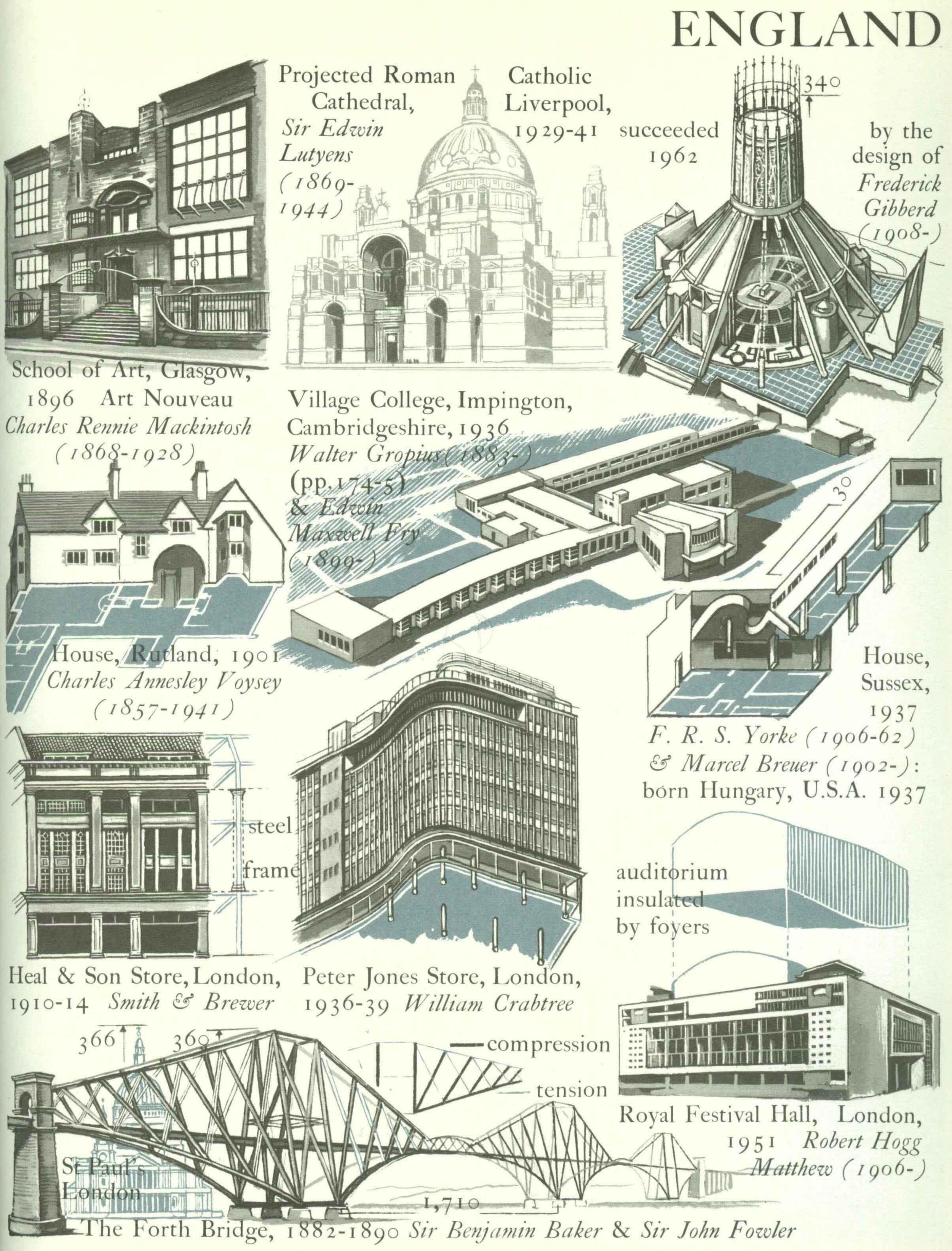


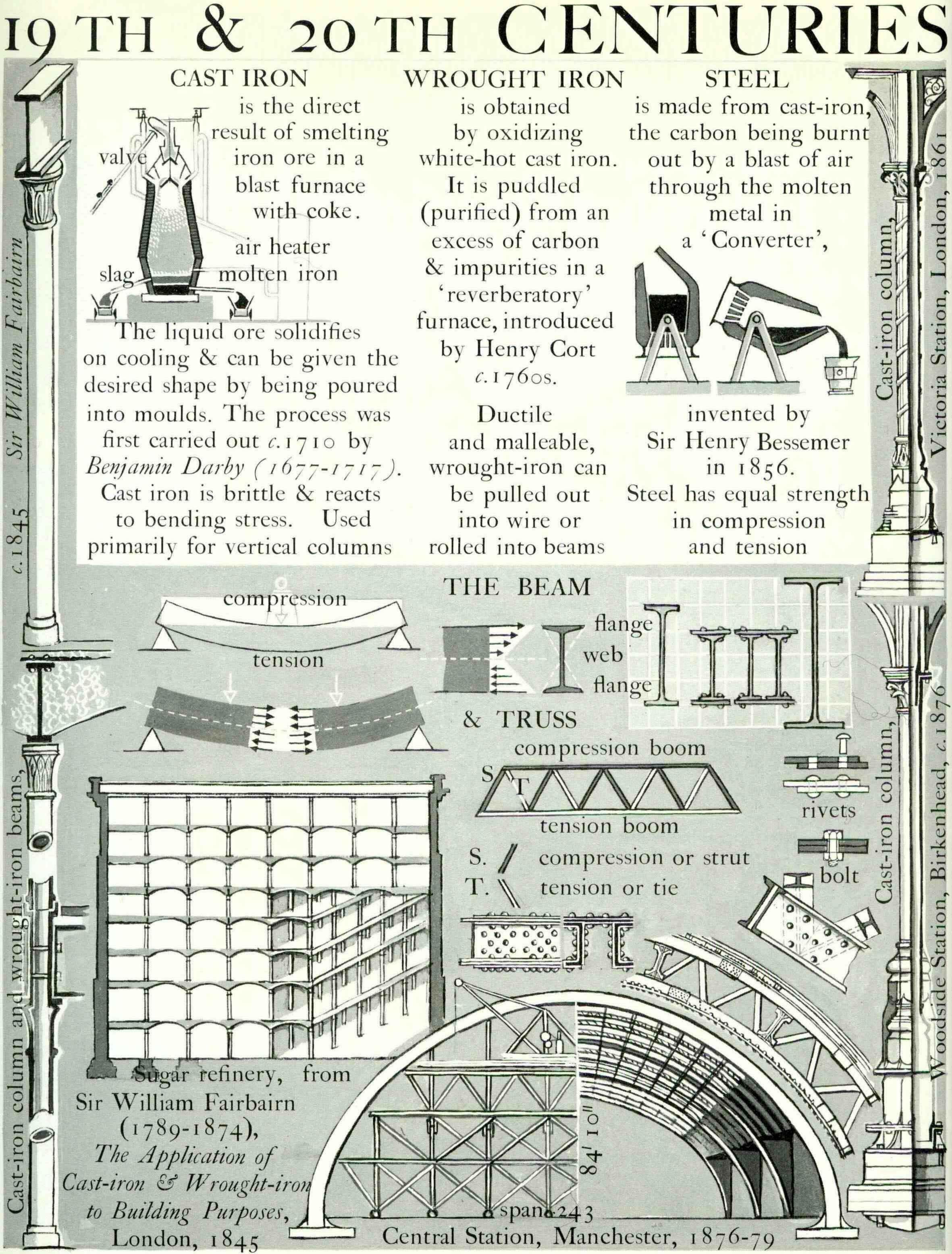


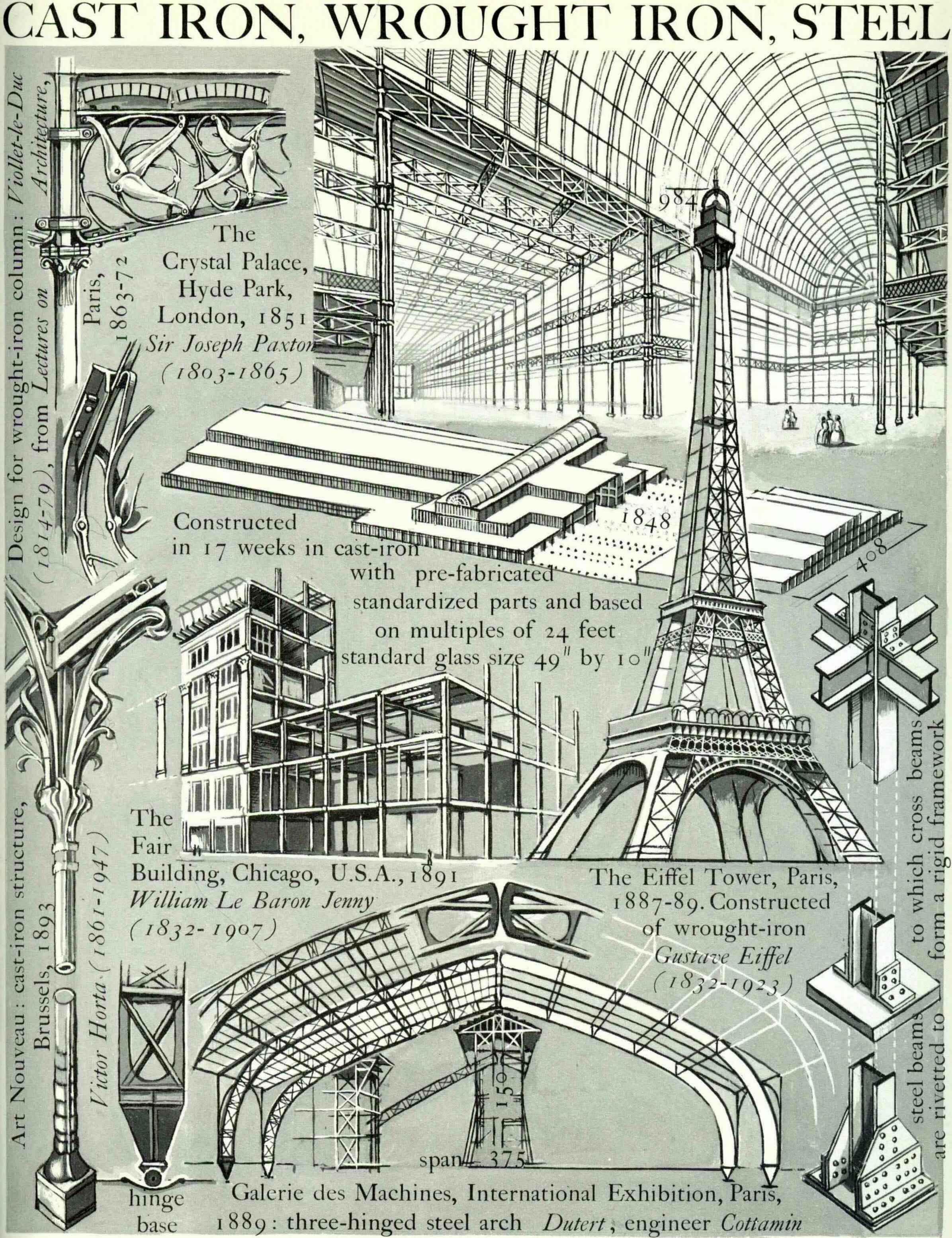


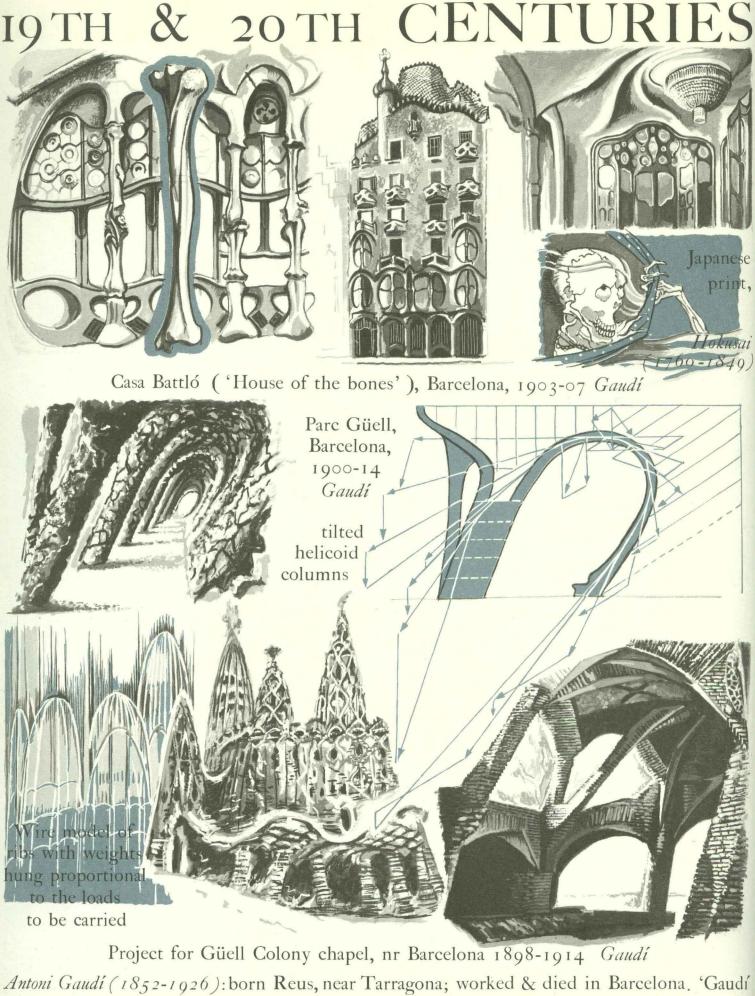
INTRODUCTION 1950 Russian Empire apanese-Empire Dutch East Indies 7,380+7,100 m.p. British Empire 17,380 + 8,180 m. p. h. orbital rocket piston/ 750 miles per hour 2-5,000 turbosupersonic engine jet' prop automatism radar Einstein Rutherford Bohr electronic 1950 computor (1879-(1871- (1885-) 1955) 1937) orbital atom nuclear reactor relativity atom nuclear neutrons 1905 atomic Planck 5,800,000,000 energy (1858nucleus, protons fission 1947) chain neutron quantum (uranium) electrons reaction absorbing 1950 1938 1901 1914 2,300,000,000 population rods Empire State Building New York 1930 Hyperbolic Steel-arch bridge, paraboloid, Mexico, Sydney 1932 1957-8 ect, MAA -1650 4200 Suspension Bridge, San Francisco, 1937 aluminium magnesium nickel titanium tungsten selenium germanium prestressed concrete shell concrete

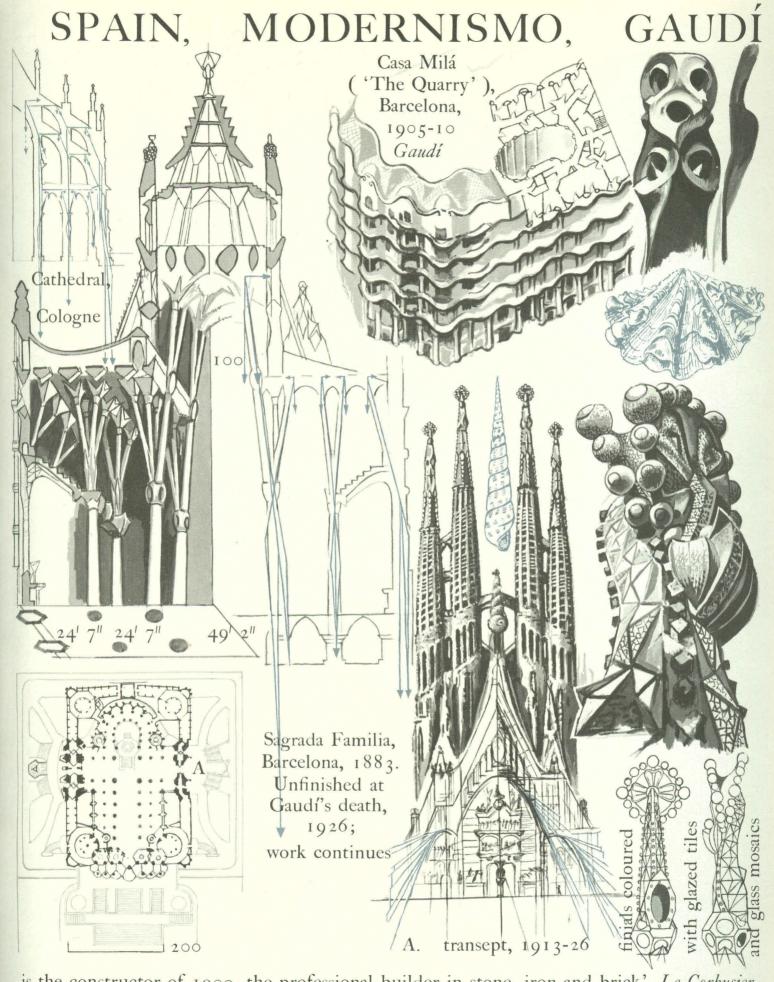






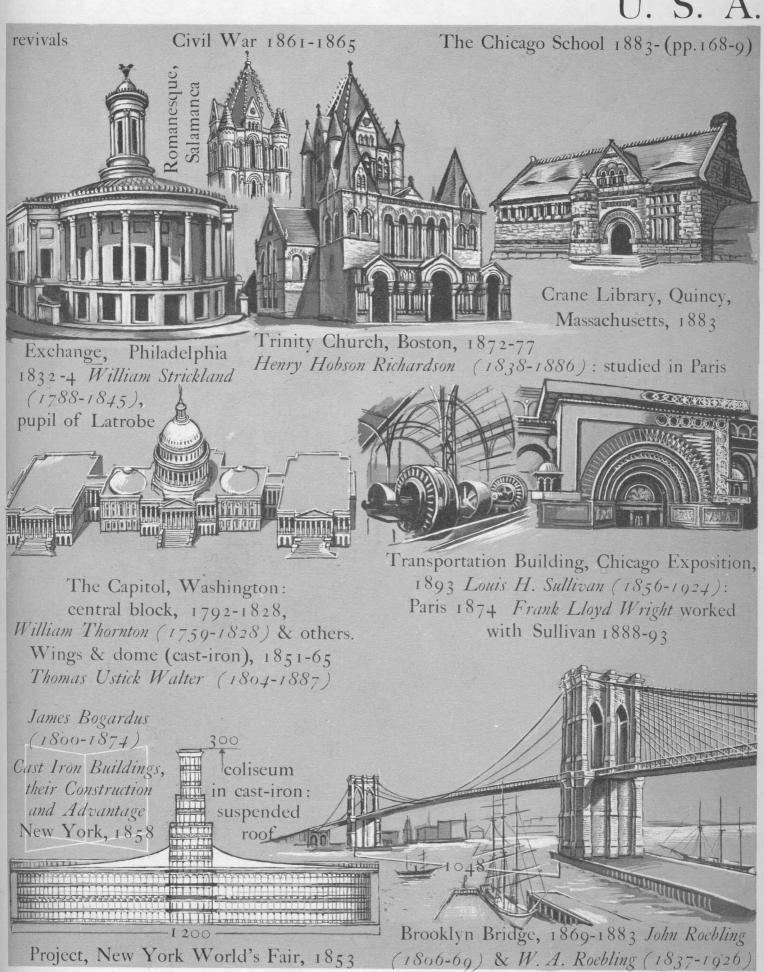




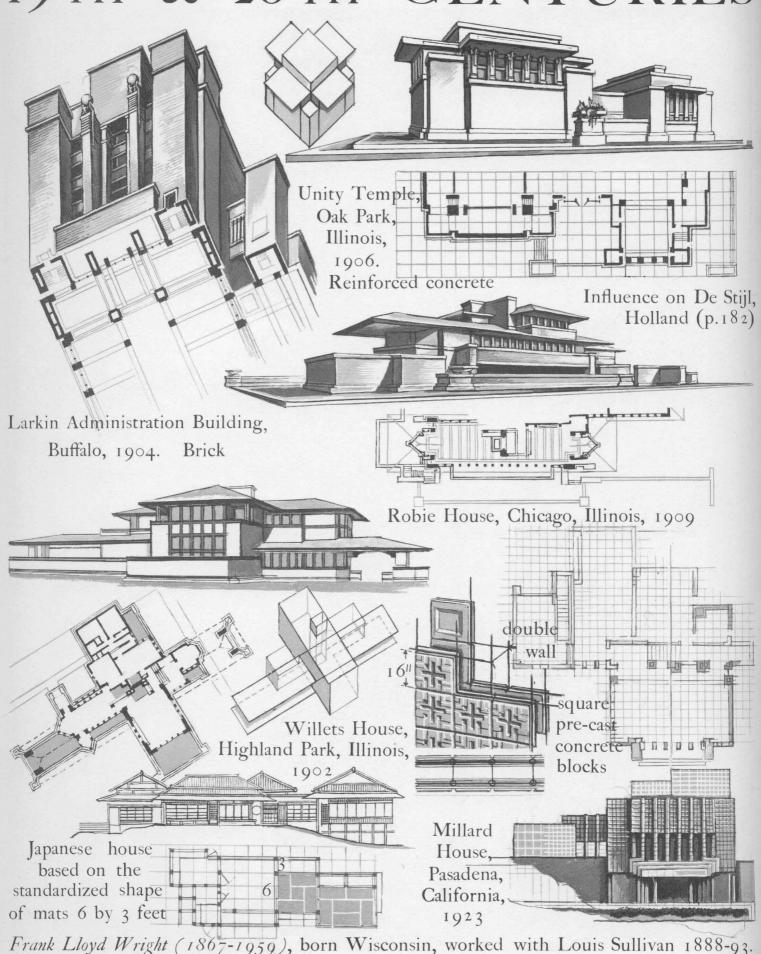


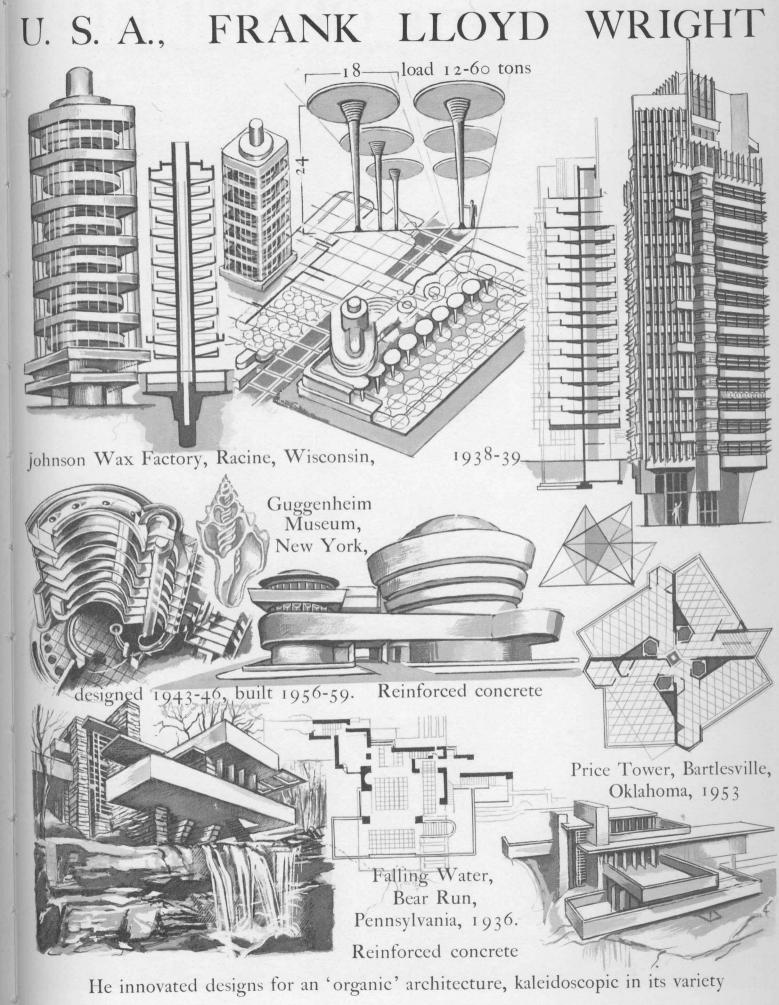
is the constructor of 1900, the professional builder in stone, iron and brick' Le Corbusier

19 TH & 20 TH CENTURIES Greek & Gothic Federal Period Colonial or Georgian period: The Revolution influence of Wren, Gibbs, 1775-1783 Chambers & the Palladians The Bank of Philadelphia, 1798-99 (1764-1820): Benjamin Latrobe The Governor's House, born England; U.S.A. 1796 Virginia, 1705 (rebuilt 1932) St Michael. Charleston, South Carolina, THE THE Westover, Virginia, c.1730 State House, Boston, 1793-98 Charles Bulfinch (1763-1844) Redwood Library, Newport, Rhode Island, 1750 Peter Harrison (1716-75): born England; U.S.A. 1740 State House, Richmond, Virginia, 1785-96 Jefferson Trinity Church, Temple, Nîmes New York, 1846 Richard Upjohn First (1802-1878) design Monticello, Charlottesville the Pantheon, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, 1822-26 1770-1809 Thomas Jefferson (1743-1820); studied Roman buildings in Europe 1784-89

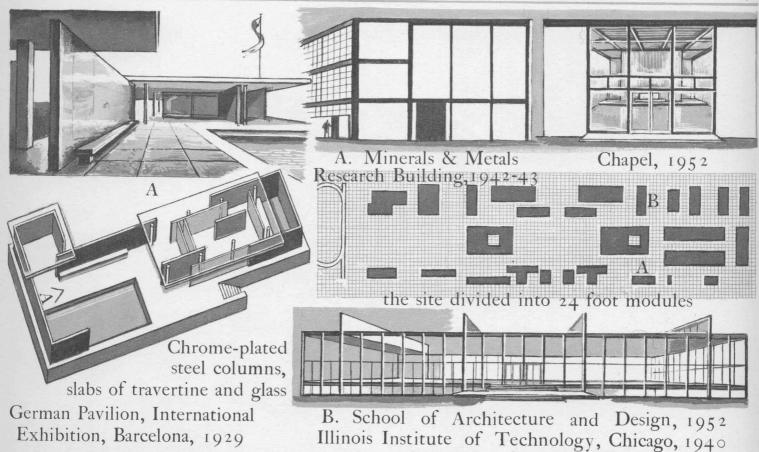


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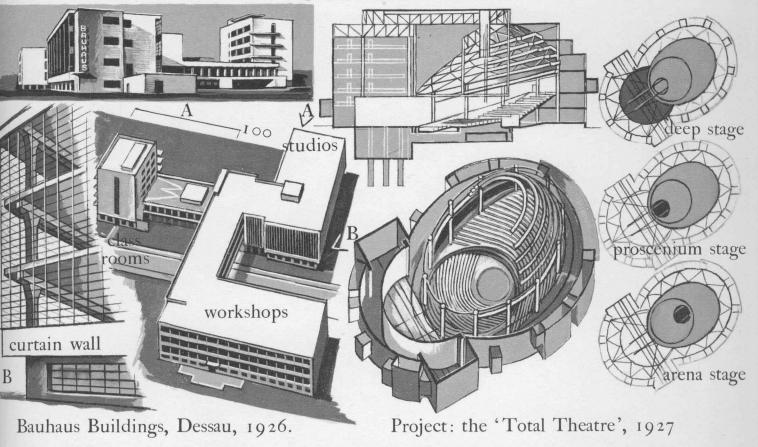


19 TH & 20 TH CENTURIES corner columns 00 carry the east load columnless corner B cantilevered on both sides, Factory, corner Development of columns Deutscher the curtain wall omitted Werkbund Exhibition, Fagus Factory, Alfeld-an-der-Leine, 1911 Cologne, 1914 Walter Gropius (1883-): assistant to Behrens, 1907-11 (p.173); director of the Bauhaus,

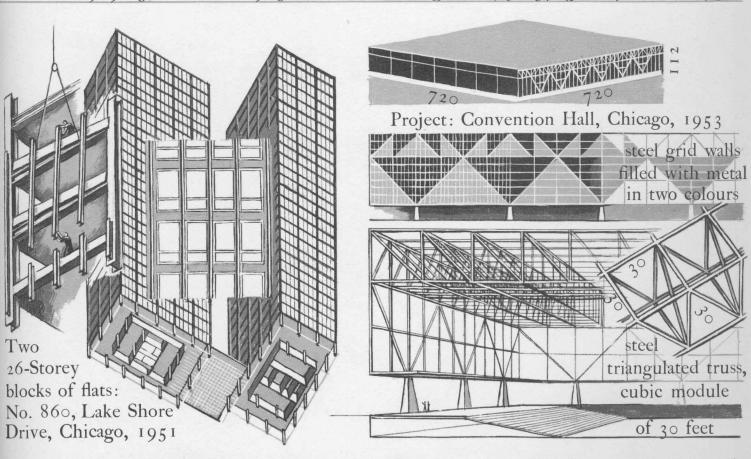


Ludwig Mies van der Rohe (1886-): born Aachen, Germany; worked with Behrens 1908-11;

GERMANY & U.S.A.

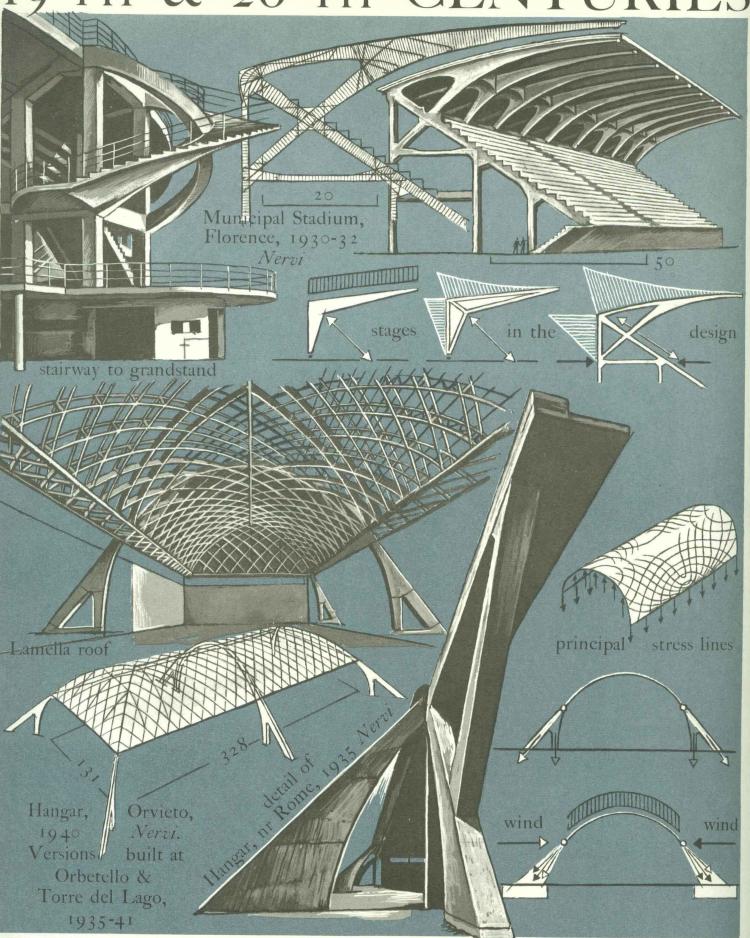


Weimar 1919-25, at Dessau 1925-8; worked in England 1934-37 (p.161), U.S.A. 1937



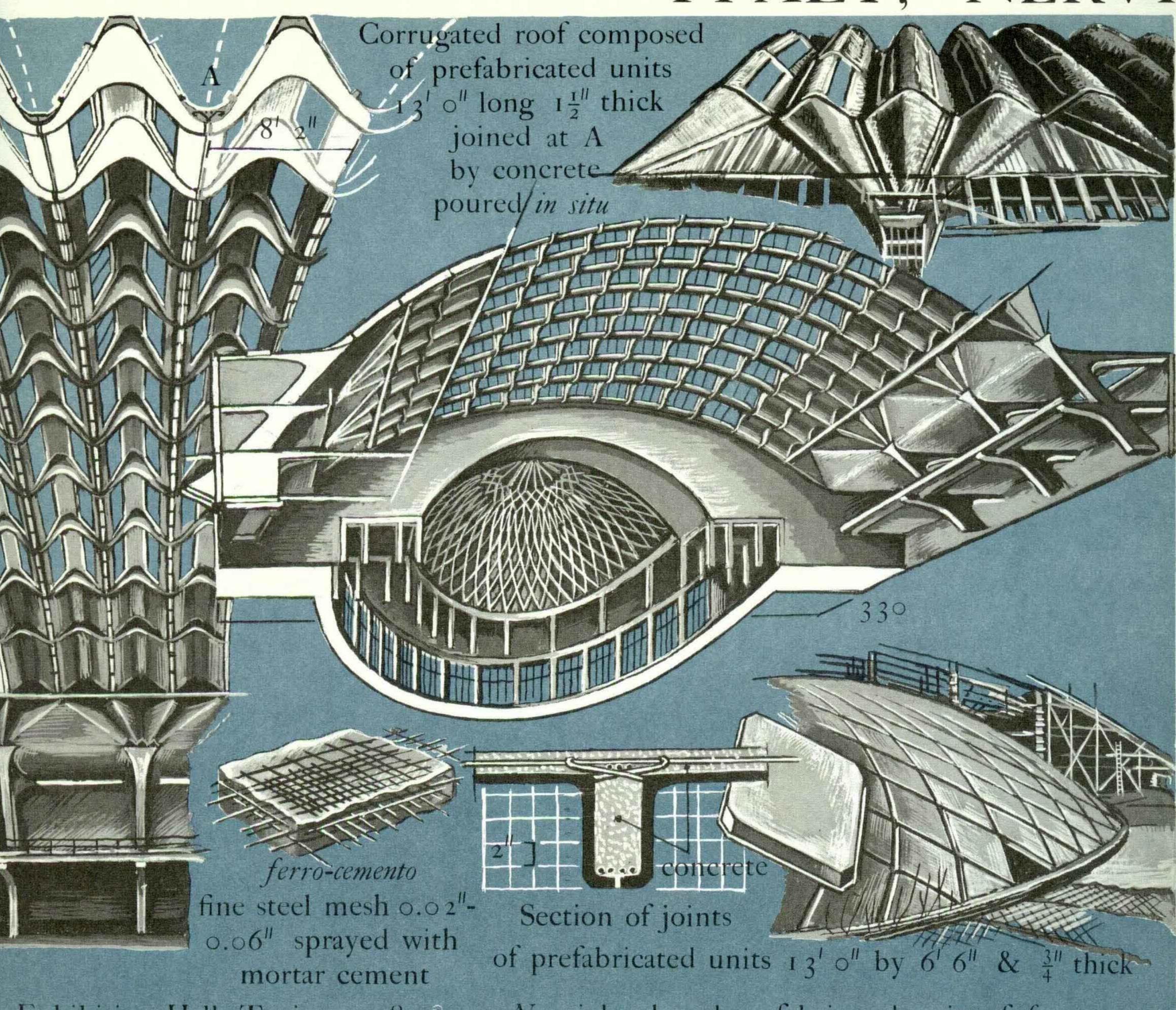
director of the Bauhaus, Dessau, 1930-33; to U.S.A., 1937. His dictum: 'less is more'

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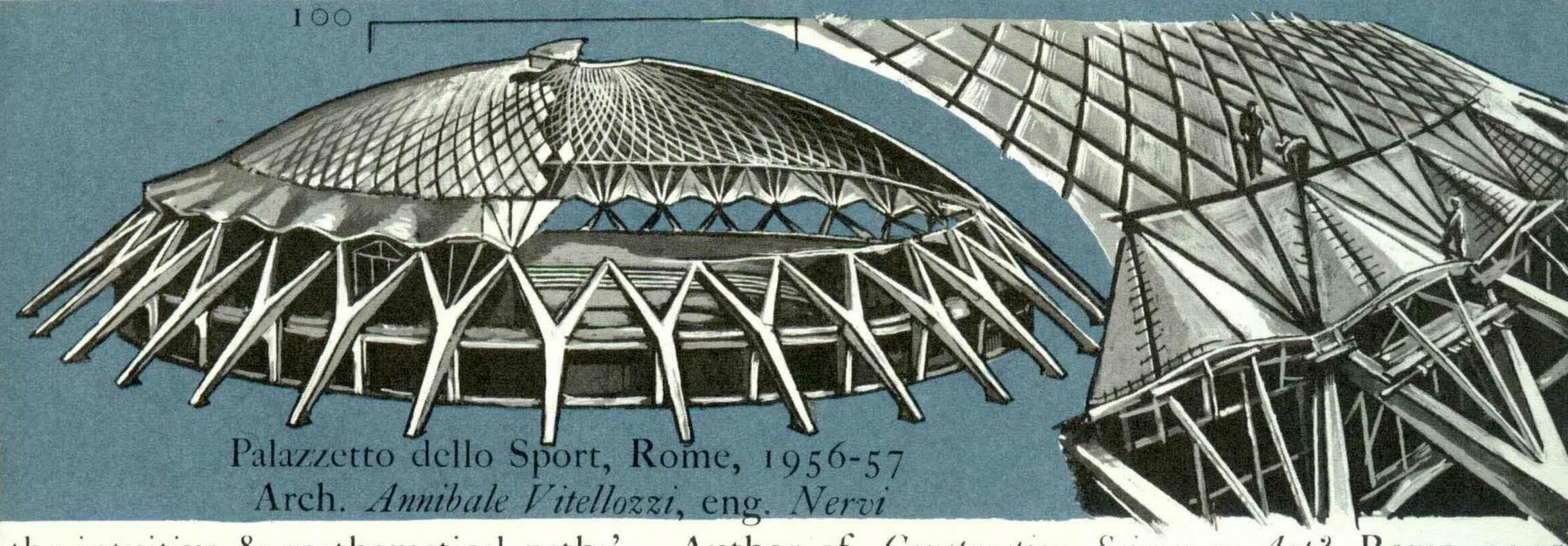


Peri Luigi Nervi (1891-), born Lombardy, engineer in reinforced concrete, follows 'both

ITALY, NERVI

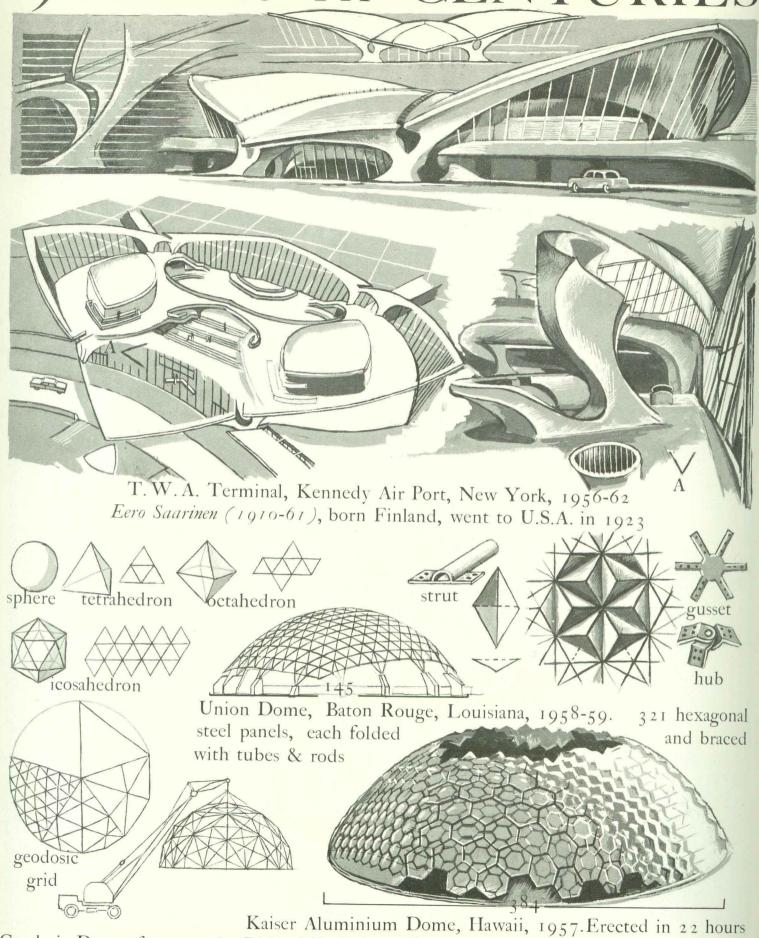


Exhibition Hall, Turin, 1948-50 Nervi developed prefabricated units of ferro-cemento (iron-concrete), speedily assembled on a light scaffolding



the intuitive & mathematical paths'. Author of Construction, Science or Art?, Rome, 1945

19 TH & 20 TH CENTURIES



Geodosic Domes from 1948 Richard Buckminster Fuller (1895-), 'comprehensive designer'

U.S.A.

